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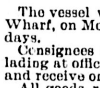

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From London,
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The vessel will discharge cargo at the Outer Wharf, on Monday, August 20, and following days.
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TORONTO TOPICS.

Sir James Robinson, of the Surrogate Court, Dead—Attempt to Procure an Abortion.

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—(Special)—Sir James Robinson, elder brother of Hon. John Beverley Robinson and Christopher Robinson, Q C., is dead, aged 77. The deceased had filled the position of chief clerk of the Surrogate court in Osgoode hall for many years.

Joseph Hezelton, a prominent druggist of this city, was fined $100 and costs for breach of the medical act in prescribing to three women drugs to procure on abortion. He has also been re-arrested on a charge of attempting to procure an abortion.

Children's Sailor Blouses in cream serge, navy serge, Galatea stripe, etc. See them, at Reid's, 122 Government street.

WHAT OF THE WAR.

Reports of Fighting and Their Contradictions—Japanese War Fund Raised.

The "Kow Shing" Affair—Japanese Demands—Movements of Men and Vessels.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 22 —It is reported there was great slaughter in the battle between the Japanese and Chinese forces at Chung Hun on Saturday last, in which the Japanese troops were driven from the place. It is stated that Rev. James Wylie, a Presbyterian minister, has died from injuries received at the hands of the Chinese soldiers.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Central News is authority for the statement that the officials of the Japanese legation deny that there has been any engagement recently, either on land or on the sea, between the forces of China and Japan. The officials declare also that the dispatch to the Standard from Berlin referring to Count Ito's remarks concerning the interests of Japan and Russia in the completion of the Siberian railway was the invention of the Chinese embassy in the German capital.

A dispatch to the Central News from Shanghai states that advices have been received there from Chemulpo to the effect that some unimportant skirmishes have taken place on the great road, north Pong Sang, between Chinese and Japanese forces. The positions of the Japanese troops are unchanged, and all passes are strongly held by Japanese soldiers.

A dispatch to a news agency in this city states that the King of Korea has declared himself independent of the Chinese government and appealed to Japan for assistance to expel the Chinese from the country.

A dispatch from Shanghai to the Central News says the Chinese papers contain a report of a battle near Ping Yan, in which 25,000 men on each side were engaged. The Chinese dispatch adds that the Chinese claim they defeated the Japanese force, but reliable confirmation of the report of the engagement is wanting. Li Hung Chang has ordered the mobilization of the northern, southern and central Chinese fleets in the Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li. The Chinese fleet is convoying a number of troop ships and coal ships from Taku to Port Arthur. Japanese nobles have subscribed $80,000,000 as a fund to be used in the prosecution of the war. This fund draws no interest.

The Japanese are re-embarking large numbers of troops at Fusan. Nothing is known regarding their destination. The Chinese forces which occupied Yashan have evacuated that place and marched eastward in the direction of Seoul. The force has been augmented by the adhesion of numbers of sympathizing Koreans. The Chinese forces are converging on Pingyang. The English line at the latter point remains in the possession of the Chinese. Nine thousand Japanese troops have left Seoul and marched in the direction of Pingyang. Two German fathers of the Catholic mission at Si-ning-cou, in the southern part of the province of Shantung have been captured by banditti and held for ransom. A government posse is in pursuit of the robbers.

Neither the Foreign Office nor the Chinese legation has received any news of the battles mentioned by the Times correspondent this morning. At the legation the officials say that General Yeh who formerly commanded the Asan has joined his force of 2,000 men to the Chinese northern army at Ping Yang. The success of this movement, the Chinese say, proves that the Japanese troops in Korea are either weak or negligent.

BERLIN, Aug. 22 —The officials of the Japanese legation here understand that Admiral Fremantle, the British naval commander in East Asiatic waters, has advised his government not to claim indemnity for the sinking of the Kow Shing.

PARIS, Aug 22 —The Tokio correspondent of Le Journal Debats telegraphs that the court of inquiry investigating at Shanghai the circumstances of the sinking of the Chinese transport Kow Shing by the Japanese warship Maniwa, has rendered a decision holding that the action of the Japanese commander in firing upon the transport was justified, and therefore the Japanese government will not be called upon to make any compensation for the destruction of the vessel.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22 —The Japanese legation has received no news of the engagement between the Japanese and Chinese forces as reported from Shanghai. The officials of the legation discredit the reported Chinese victory, and call attention to the fact that the first account of the engagement at Asan described it as a defeat of the Japanese, in which their loss was 2,000 killed and wounded. The officials of the legation also express the strongest confidence in the accuracy of the telegram received at the legation yesterday announcing that the finding of the British naval court of inquiry at Shanghai into the Kow Shing case was favorable to Japan. This statement regarding the action of the court was based upon information, as was the additional statement that the British Admiral had reported to his government that in his opinion the sinking of the Kow Shing was justifiable. The Japanese legation denounces as unqualifiedly false the assertion contained in the dispatch published yesterday from Shanghai from the correspondent of the London Times that the commander of the Naniwa ordered the men so fire upon the survivors from the Kow Shing who were struggling in the water.

TACOMA, Aug. 22.—Some of the Japanese residents have been informed by their countrymen who have arrived from the Orient during the past ten days, and also by letters from Japan, that their government will not be satisfied with wiping out China's assumption of domination in Korea, but will demand as a basis of settlement the province of Manchuria, which is larger in area than all Korea. Manchuria was formerly possessed by Japan. When it is again possessed by that country China will be cut off from direct communication with Korea, which will have a tendency to weaken its influence over that country, and will also permit those who reside there and are friendly to Japan, but who are afraid to declare themselves, to express themselves freely.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22 —The acting Korean minister to the United States, Yee Sung Soo, and Jarng Bong Whan, the second secretary of the legation, have arrived in this city on their way to San Francisco, whence they will sail for their native country. Minister Soo was sick when he arrived, but will probably continue his journey at 10 o'clock to-night. Concerning the war between China and Japan, Jarng Bong Whan said: "I do not think the war will last very long. Japan has better artillery soldiers than China, but the latter country has greater resources and more men. That is why Japan is getting all the victories it can now." He refused to say anything regarding the position of Korea in the war.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 22. — The following cable was received to-day by Japanese Consul Shimezu Ko: The Naval court of inquiry at Shanghai investigating the circumstances of the sinking of the Chinese transport Kow Shing by the Japanese man-of-war Naniwa has rendered a decision holding that the action of the Japanese commander in firing upon the transport was justifiable. The British admiral has advised the British government to make no claim for damages.

FIGHTING THE LORDS.

Motion to Reduce Their Supplies Voted Down —Mr. Sexton Assails the Government.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—James Henry Dalziel, Radical, moved in the House of Commons, this evening, that the House of Lords appropriation be reduced. He complained that the government had not stated their attitude to the proposal to withdraw the power of veto from the upper house. He was called to order by the Speaker, who admonished him that he must adhere to the subject of the appropriation. After several Radicals had spoken in support of the motion,

Rt. Hon. John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, undertook, in Sir Wm. Harcourt's absence, to reply for the government. The ministers were so fully sensible of the gravity and magnitude of the movement against the Lords, he said, that they refused to raise the issue on a trumpery question of officials and salaries. During recess they would consider the problem carefully.

Thomas Sexton, anti-Parnellite for North Kerry, said that the government had not risen to the emergency and did not seem disposed to treat earnestly the demands from the people and their representations for a change in the House of Lords.

Eventually Mr. Dalziel's motion was rejected by a vote of 76 to 45.

INTERCOLONIAL CONFERENCE.

The "Times" Says Canada's Desire for the Cable is One of the Noblest.

Earl Jersey Expected to Favor Subsidies for Atlantic and Pacific Steamers.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—In reviewing its own articles on the Ottawa intercolonial conference the Times says: "Canada's keenness for the Pacific cable is remarkable because she already has direct and unassailable telegraphic communication with Great Britain. The Canadians in this are working for one of the noblest ideas they could entertain, namely, the unity of the Empire, its security and prosperity. As regards the steamship scheme, the difficulty is with the Australian colonies, which do not yet display such devotion to the idea as is shown by Canada. For the cable scheme nevertheless there is abundant sympathy, which doubtless will develope into active concurrence. It is expected that the Earl of Jersey's report will be in favor of subsidies for Atlantic and Pacific steamers. The idea of an Imperial service, entirely independent of the outside world, promises such solid advantages that no minor objections ought to be listened to for a moment. On the conerary, it would be sound policy and good finance to incur some expense in order to establish it, even although the prospect of its becoming fully self-supporting were somewhat remote. The stimulus to imperial commerce would be immense, and would indirectly bring imperial advantages far more reliable than any that can be appraised in a statistical abstract."

SALVADOREAN REFUGEES.

New Complaints Issued Upon Which They Will be Tried in U. S. Courts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 22 —New warrants have been served upon the Salvadoreans aboard the Bennington. It is believed that a tug will take the papers out to-morrow morning, starting about daylight. Dr. Caldron, consul to San Salvador, filed complaints against Ezeta and the other San Salvadorean refugees and warrants were at once issued for their arrest. There are five complaints against the San Salvadoreans, embracing separate charges of murder, robbery, assault and strangulation, all committed in June last. As soon as the Bennington can be brought within territorial jurisdiction the warrants will be served by the U. S. marshal. Judicial proceedings will then be taken.

POLITICAL PRIESTS.

The Pope Warns the Clergy to Refrain From Secular Subjects in Sermons.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Chronicle's Rome correspondent says: The Pope has sent a circular letter to the Italian bishops requesting them to instruct the clergy to refrian from secular subjects in their sermons. The occasion for the letter arose from the preaching of political reforms by some priests.

SAMOAN LANDS.

A Commissioner Sent Out by the U. S. to Arbitrate Between British and Germans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—W. L. Chambers, United States land commissioner to Samoa, is in the city on route to the islands having been instructed by the United States government to return in order to act as arbitrator in the German and English land claims, about 350 of which still remain open. The United States representative goes to the islands in the interests of both German and English authorities.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Proposed Settlement of B. C. Claims Against the U. S. Under the Arbitration.

Painting of Sir John Macdonald for the Queen—Trade With Australia.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—It rests with British Columbia sealers to say whether the Behring sea question shall be finally and promptly settled. I hear positively that $425,000 has been offered by the United States government to be voted next session of congress in payment of the damages found against the United States by the Paris tribunal last year on account of the seizure of Canadian sealing vessels in the open waters of Behring sea. If, however, the government of Great Britain prefer to go on with the assessment, which it was originally understood would be the method employed for the determination of these damages, then the claims will still be open and the offer dropped, so that practically, unless the plan of assessing the damages goes on, the sum of $425,000 will be voted by Congress next December in full as a settlement of the claims of the Canadian sealers. Meanwhile the offer is understood to be made without prejudice to the finding of an assessment. Should the latter method of arriving at the amount of damages be resorted to the Canadian sealers might get less than is now offered. Sir C. H. Tupper, who returned from Washington to-day, will let the sealers decide whether they will accept the offer or not.

The Governor-General has decided that the death sentence passed on Hugh Lynn, the Savary Island murderer, shall be executed. He will, therefore, be hanged on Friday.

The dreaded thistle was yesterday discovered by Prof. Macoun growing along the line of the Canadian Pacific railway near Smiths Falls. It is supposed that they dropped from the cars carrying grain from Dakota to the seaboard.

Some time ago a portrait of the late Sir John Macdonald was painted by J. C. Forbes, of Toronto, for the Junior Conservative Club of that city. For some reason it was not delivered to the club. It is admitted to be a fine likeness of the late Premier, and is valued at $1,000. A movement has been started here to purchase the painting and have it presented to Her Majesty as a memento of the selection of Ottawa as capital of the Dominion.

J. S. Larke, ex-commissioner to the World's fair, has been appointed commercial agent to visit the different markets in Canada with a view to working up trade with Australia. Subsequently he will visit Australia.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Fashionable Wedding.

HALIFAX, Aug. 22.—A fashionable wedding was solemnized at St. Luke's cathedral. The bride was Miss Eleanor Wood, second daughter of Capt. J. Taylor Wood, the groom being Duncan J. Campbell, sheriff of Southern Alberta.

Drowned Last Fall.

KINCARDINE, Aug 22.—The body of Angus Matheson, who mysteriously disappeared last fall and was thought to have been murdered, was found this morning by the government dredge while at work in the harbor. The body was badly decomposed.

Big Repatriation Movement.

MONTREAL, Aug. 22. —According to the Custom House returns no less than 8,280 French-Canadian families, estimated at 41,400 souls, returned to Quebec province from the New England States during 1893.

Pioneer Clergyman Dead.

KINGSTON, Aug. 22 —Rev. Dr. D. Macdonald, a brother of Hector Macdonald, of Kingston, and the first clergyman ordained on the Pacific Coast, died in New York suddenly.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Northwest Deputation to Hear Mr. Daly—Goldwin Smith on Manitoba Schools.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 22.—(Special)—Speaker Ross and Mr. Neff of the Northwest Executive Committee, left Regina last evening as a deputation of the Northwest Assembly, to meet Hon. Mr. Daly, by appointment, at Winnipeg, to discuss Northwest matters.

The bye elections take place in Brandon and Beautiful Plains to-morrow. The Conservative candidates will probably be defeated in both constituencies.

The steamer Monarch is on the rocks at the Sault Rapids in Rainy River, Lake of the Woods. A party of Winnipeggers on board returned to Rat Portage in safety. The boat is badly damaged and will be unfit for service again this year.

A letter from Goldwin Smith on the Manitoba school question is published here to-night.

The Calgary Herald has decided to cease publication.

To-morrow is Winnipeg's civic holiday. Among the attractions is a bicycle race between Hyslop and McCulloch.

Burglars again entered the residence of Mrs. Graburn last night and after tying a handkerchief over her head took the contents of her purse, some $21.

Some people laugh to show their pretty teeth. The use of Ivory White Tooth Powder makes people laugh more than ever. It's so nice. Price 25c. Sold by druggists.

THE Bank Exchange restaurant has just received a consignment of the following choice articles of food direct from Europe: Westphalian hams, Cervelet and Metwurst sausage, Strassburger goose liver pastele, Frankfurter sausage, Pomeranian breasts of goose, Braunschweiger leberwurst, Braunschweiger Riesenpargel, Lubeck's Krammets vogel, Hamburg sweet water eels, and many other delicacies from the European market.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver Dairymen Pass Some Strong Resolutions on the Milk Question.

Indians Protest Against the Closing of Munn's Cannery—The Salmon Run.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 22.—Miss Whittie very narrowly escaped drowning yesterday. She missed her footing on Watts & Trotts boathouse wharf and fell into the water. Mr. Trott plunged in after her before she had time to sink and brought her to the wharf where she was pulled out.

Lawyer Lampman, of Victoria, is in the city; he is going to his Eastern home for a short holiday.

The dairymen held a very warm meeting yesterday and passed the following resolution:

"That this meeting endorse the action of the City Council in looking after milk inspection, etc, as we think it will create more confidence between the milk-vendor and consumer;

"Resolved, that we are not prepared to take out licenses under the present by-law, and that we consider Dr. Thomas an utterly unscrupulous alarmist, who has no regard either for the public interest or for the interests of the dairymen or milk-vendors. This is evidenced by the statement which he made recently to the effect that 50 per cent. of the cattle from which the milk supply of the city was drawn, were suffering from tuberculosis, whereas it has been proved that only 4½ per cent. of the cattle so far examined by the government inspector have been suffering from any disease whatever. We have also other reasons for not desiring to work under Dr. Thomas' inspectorship, which will be disclosed when the dairymen meet the city council to frame a practicable common sense by-law for the inspection of milk and regulation of milk vendors. The dairymen will also ask the city council the privilege of aiding them in framing a by-law.

The Italian bark C. Avour arrived to-day to load lumber.

The Robb case, in which the accused is charged with publishing false reports by C. P. R., came up again before Messrs. R. H. Alexander, T. Dun and B. Springer. It was dismissed on the ground of no jurisdiction.

Five more shacks were chopped up to-day. Five hundred people watched the proceedings. Shackites claim the proceedings are illegal. Several fights occurred and an Italian was arrested for throwing stones. The excitement among the shackites is intense, and the work is progressing very slowly.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 22.—The body of an Indian named Tommy, who disappeared ten days ago, was picked up in the river this morning. There was no evidence of foul play.

A hundred Indians from D. J. Munn & Co.'s cannery waited on the Indian Agent to-day and protested against the cancellation of Munn & Co.'s license, for depositing offal in the river. They stated that the hardship fell on them more than the cannery and that the Indians were thrown out of work by the order at a time when they were absolutely unable to go to work elsewhere. They wanted to know if the government, having deprived them of work would keep them during the coming winter. Several chiefs made speeches all condemnatory of the government's action. Agent Devlin promised to report their grievances to the department.

The salmon run last night was again poor and a considerable number of fishermen are about to withdraw their nets. No reply has yet been received to the application for an extension of time for the fishing.

The Brunette Saw Mill Co., of this city, shipped to-day to Montreal a double carload of Douglas fir timber. Three of the largest pieces were of the following dimensions 24x24x60; 24x30x54; 36x36x60, square on the four edges. The largest piece was without a single knot. No larger timber has ever been shipped from British Columbia. The sticks are to be used in dredge building for the Montreal harbor commissioners.

Lizzie Bartlett, whose name will be familiar to all who followed the Stroebel case, entered a house of ill-fame in the swamp a short time ago. Learning of the new life the girl had chosen, Chief of Police Huston on Saturday last interviewed her and gave her notice to leave the city at once, also strongly advising her to return home. Lizzie left the city, but where she went is not known.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Aug. 22.—The city police have been instructed to vigorously enforce the by-law with respect to the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks.

George Campbell lectures at Nanaimo River Sunday week on "Spiritualism."

On Friday and Saturday of this week the Nanaimo Amateur Art Club holds its first annual exhibition at the residence of Mrs. Andrew Haslam.

On the application of Barrister H. A. Simpson of this city, the Provincial government has granted a reduction from $10 to $2.50 per head in the fees for the exhumation of bodies interred at the Chinese cemetery on the Departure Bay road, for transportation to China.

The question of the purity of the milk supply is now attracting some attention here. It is alleged that city dairymen are in the habit of using certain preparations in order to keep their milk from turning sour during the hot weather, the chemicals employed having a tendence to cause sickness, especially among infants. The matter will be looked into by the authorities at once.

Hirst Bros., general merchants, assigned to-day to E. N. Westwood & J. P. Planta. The firm's liabilities are not heavy. It is expected a satisfactory settlement will be made in the next few days, when business will be resumed.

ALBERT BAY.

ALBERT BAY, Aug. 18.—The Alert Bay cannery is shut down at present after having put up a fair pack of sockeyes. It will be started up again in a few days to can spring salmon which are reported to be running strong at present in the Nimpkish. The pack this season is expected to fully equal that of other years.

Miss Hyde, formerly of this place but now of Claxton-on-the-Skeena, paid her friends here a flying visit a short time ago.

Rev. Alfred J. Hall, B.D., leaves this week for Vancouver to meet Rev. Baring-Gould, one of the secreties of the C.M.S., with whom he will have a conference with reference to matters of interest in connection with the North Pacific missions. Principal Corker will occupy the pulpit here during the reverend gentleman's absence.

A fair sized octopus or devil fish was captured under the sawmill wharf here a few days ago. This dreaded monster is eargerly sought by the natives, who highly esteem it as a delicacy.

Mike Kamano is turning out some fine pleasure boats made of native white pine.

Messrs. Mathers & Son are going more extensively into the cattle business, having made the purchase of numerous head of fine stock lately.

The latest freak in the animal line comes from the lower end of this village. It is a calf born without a tail. The calf is strong and otherwise perfectly formed, and the absence of the terminal appendage does not appear to seriously affect the health of the animal.

SOMENOS.

SOMENOS, Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Johnston went down to Victoria on Sunday night.

The continued fine weather has ripened the oats earlier than usual this year, and harvesting has commenced in every direction.

Mrs. George Kier had a very pleasant dance last week, the best that has been provided here in some time.

QUESNELLE.

QUESNELLE MOUTH, Aug. 18—A sad drowning accident occurred on the 15th inst. near the Grand Canyon, whereby a man named Lumberg lost his life. It appears he was going to swim from a small island to the bank—asking another man who was near to watch him. After swimming a few strokes he was drawn by the current to mid-stream and sank. Mr. Lumberg was about 35 years of age, and has only been in the country a few months mining. This is the second drowning accident this summer.

E. G. Wylde (of Enderby, B. C.) and party have arrived here after a two months tour through the Nechaco country. He speaks highly of the climate, the soil, feed, and other advantages in that country. They have traveled 700 miles, even as far as the extreme western end of Lac Francais. Mr. Wylde considers the Nechaco Valley a good country for mixed farming, with a climate like Ontario—but you have to travel 115 miles from Quesnelle before coming to this good land, and there is no outlet or inlet, except by the Frazer, which is dangerous, and by the trail, which is very slow and expensive. Mr. Wylde will be pleased to correspond with anyone who wants a true account, both of the advantages and disadvantages of the Nechaco country. He contemplates returning there either this fall or next spring.

DONALD.

DONALD, Aug. 20.—The town of Donald is beautifully situated on the right bank of the Columbia river, having the peaks of the Rockies on the north and the Selkirk range of mountains on the south as a background. It is a town of high altitude and is pretty much the creation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The majority of the citizens are either C.P.R. officials or mechanics. There are in the town several stores, three churches, a doctor and two ministers. The "strong arm of the law" is represented by a constable, sheriff, lawyer and jailor. The reading circle of the town is highly favored by a library and reading room, which contains a good collection of books, magazines and daily papers.

Miss Mary K. Smith has taken charge of the newly organized school at Windermere.

McKee Rankin gave a dramatic entertainment at the firemen's hall on August 9, inst.

The Donald school has been opened after the summer holidays under favorable auspices with an attendance of 34 pupils.

B. C. B. G. A. BAND.

TO THE EDITOR:—As a member of the local regiment of Artillery and one of the many who appreciate the music of our fine band, I feel called upon to let the general public know the difficulties of keeping up such a band as this. To the average mind the idea impresses itself that to have good instrumental music is an expense out of proportion to the services rendered, but I will endeavor to show that it need not be so. The facts as relating to the B. C. B. G. A. Band, and as given me by one who is the best authority on this matter, are as follows: There is no difficulty, comparatively speaking, in obtaining good musicians who are willing to join, but the great difficulty is in holding them, not because they ask for too much money but because of their inability to obtain employment which will enable them to earn a living.

There should be no need to point out the advantage to the city in having an organized band in it, especially a first class one. The example may be taken from any town of whatever size on the continent. Victoria has none except the Artillery Band, and it should be the endeavor of the business men of the city to get these men employment. There are men now in the band and men who could with advantage be got in, with first class certificates of character, as musicians or otherwise, who are willing to tackle anyihing in the shape of work which will enable them to pay their way; and it would be a matter of policy to strengthen the hands of Bandmaster Finn by enabling him to say to any good musician, and worker, who comes along, "Start in and I'll get you work as long as you are in the band."

Trusting that others with more powerful pens and greater influence may take up this matter and keep it up until something is done. N. C. O.

Victoria, Aug. 21.

Burdock Blood Bitters cures Dyspepsia.
Burdock Blood Bitters cures Constipation.
Burdock Blood Bitters cures Biliousness.
Burdock Blood Bitters cures Headache.
Burdock Blood Bitters unlocks all the clogged secretions of the Bowels, thus curing Headaches and similar complaints.

The Interstate Fair.

For the Interstate Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5 70, including two admissions to the Fair.

Tickets on sale every Tuesday and Friday, from August 14th to October 30th inclusive, with final limit of twenty days from date of sale.

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Agent N.P.R.R.Co.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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A Gentleman

Who formerly resided in Connecticut, but who now resides in Honolulu, writes: "For 20 years past, my wife and I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and we attribute to it the dark hair which she and I now have, while hundreds of our acquaintances, ten or a dozen years younger than we, are either gray-headed, white, or bald. When asked how our hair has retained its color and fullness, we reply, 'By the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor—nothing else.'"

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HAIR VIGOR

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A few yearling or two-year-old half-bred Southdown or Shropshire rams; also for sale one pure bred two-year-old Cotswold ram (imported). Apply to J. & R. Musgrave, Duncan's Station, E. & N. Railway. au22-6t

WANTED—Married couple want charge of or work on dairy farm. M.Q., Colonist office. au21-3t

LADIES' DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL—De Leamanton system, perfect with seams, and the only system cutting strictly seamless garments. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons Free. Agents wanted. Room 73, Five Sisters Block. au19-1m

SAN FRANCISCO—A comfortable home for families or gentlemen; highly recommended for liberal table and good attention; situated in the best part of the city and kept by an English lady; moderate terms. 925 Hyde street, San Francisco, Cal. au17

THE man who took the first prize (a gold medal) at the International Exhibition, London, England, 1893, makes the Jams and Jellies for Okell & Morris. au7-3m

WANTED—An agent to represent a Montreal wine house doing principally in champagne and Scotch whiskies. When applying please give full particulars, references, etc. Address Wine House, P.O. Box 2004, Montreal. au7-6t

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ALL kinds of fencing, stumping, slashing, draining, etc., etc., done by the Victoria Stumping Company at very reasonable rates. Address A.B., Colonist office. au3

WANTED—At 81 Johnson street, cast off clothing, boots and shoes. jy31-1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—English pool table. Inquire at 75 Johnson street. au22 6t

MONEY TO LOAN on Victoria real estate by the Dominion Building & Loan Association, repayable by easy monthly payments. A. W. MORE & Co., 70 Douglas St. au19

HOW TO SAVE MONEY—Deposit your monthly savings with the Dominion Building & Loan Association. The best investment going; $6 per month worth $1,000 in eight years. A. W. MORE & Co., 70 Douglas St. au20

FOR SALE—Photographic gallery with outfit and furnishings complete; every convenience; capital business location; only $700; a snap. Apply at once to P O. box 814, City. au14-1m

FOR SALE—In Vancouver—A milk route, with teams, cows and sundries; owner going away September 1; this is one of the best routes in the city and offers a splendid opportunity for any man with a small amount of money, to make more than a living. Apply at once, Dairy, Box 569, Vancouver, B.C. jy25

FOR SALE—Lots averaging 60x120, in Section 26, Esquimalt. They have a frontage on London, Liverpool, Aberdeen and Glasgow streets and Admiral's road (streets are sixty and sixty-six feet wide) and have a frontage of about 1300 feet on the best part of Esquimalt harbor. The property is centrally situated between the Fortifications, the Esquimalt marine railway, the Esquimalt railway station and intended coal bunkers, and in view of the bright prospects of the British Pacific railway it is the very best property on the market; also adjoining the undivided half of Sur. Lot 50, containing in all about 13 acres. This property has a splendid frontage on Esquimalt harbor and Admiral's road, and about two minutes' walk from tram car line; good sidewalks and water. Apply Lowerberg, Larris & Co., Government street, or to owner, J. J. Russell, Brunswick Hotel. P.O. address, Box 302. jy10

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Comfortably furnished rooms, with use of kitchen, if desired. Apply No. 139 Michigan street, James Bay. au16-12t

TO LET OR LEASE—American Hotel, with 20 rooms and saloon license; bar and bar fixtures complete; central location. Apply 16 Trounce avenue, or Burnes House. ja5-tf

FURNISHED rooms with or without board. Meals if desired. Permanent boarders $6 per week. Douglas House, 5 Gordon St. Jun 10 6t

TO LET—Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $18; water paid. Two 5-roomed houses, John street, $10; water paid. Two houses, Chatham street, $14 and $12.50 (respectively). Ten-roomed house; hot and cold water; 2 lots; Garbally Road; $20. Six-roomed house, Douglas street, $8. Two cottages, Pandora street, $10, water paid. Eight-roomed house, bath, Johnson street, $ 5.

BARGAINS FOR SALE—Six-roomed cottage, bath, etc., Fernwood road; price $1,400; terms, $50 cash, balance monthly payments at 1 per cent.

Thirteen acres within easy drive of city, good land, on main road, good spring, nearly all cleared and slashed; will be sold cheap.

Lumerton & Oddy
Accountants, Auditors
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TEABERRY
PRICE 25¢
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PART XIII

NOW READY

Masterpieces from The Art Galleries Of the World. . .

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AN INSPECTION IS INVITED.

TO SEE IT IS TO BUY IT.

FIFTEEN PICTURES QUITE UP TO THE STANDARD OF THE FORMER FOLIOS

"HYDE FARM"

SHAWNIGAN DISTRICT

IS A MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY, containing 484 acres, suitable for mixed farming. A large portion of the Farm has formerly been cropped. There are large portions of it that are suitable for Grazing and Dairying Purposes. Now that Hops are likely to become one of B. C.'s profitable crops, a couple of hundred acres of Hyde Farm could be utilized for this purpose. The Farm is supplied with an abundance of water the year round, and water for power can be secured from the falls of the Koksilah River, which stream is the boundary line of the property on one side. Brick Clay, Lime Rock and Bog Iron Ore exist on the Farm, with the prospect of Coal also being discovered. There is plenty of Timber for all purposes, some of it of a merchantable character.

"HYDE FARM"

Is a short distance from the E. & N. Railway Line at either end of the property, and the Victoria and Nanaimo Wagon Road passes through it, therefore it is specially well located for shipping purposes. Excellent Shooting and Fishing is to be had on the property and in the Koksilah River. Deer, Grouse, Duck and Geese abound. In fact Hyde Farm is well located for all practical and pleasureable purposes, and is a chance not often met with for a man of moderate means to secure a small estate, which is sure to become extremely valuable, as the development of the Island progresses. In the meantime its utilization for Mixed Farming or Cattle Raising Purposes would bring in a fair income.

For further particulars, or
For Price and Terms, address
"HYDE FARM," Colonist Office.

TENDERS.

SALE OF STOCK
—OF—
DRY GOODS.
TENDERS

For the purchase of the Stock in Trade, Fixtures, etc., of the business known as the "London House," 608 Columbia street, New Westminster, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. of Tuesday, August 28th, 1894.

The sale will be on bloc. Particulars of the stock to be had on application to H. A. Gordon, on the premises, where same can be inspected.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. F. CLINTON,
au17-td Solicitor for Mortgagee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in two certain mortgages dated the 17th day of June, 1892, and duly registered at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, B.C., tenders will be received at the office of Dalby & Claxton, 64 Yates street, Victoria, B.C., until noon of Monday, the 27th day of August, 1894, for the purchase of the following property, viz.: Lots numbers 24, 1, 11, 13, 19, 20 and 21, being part of Subdivision Lot 34, Section 74, according to Map 397.

The mortgagees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

Dated August 11th, 1894.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
au17 Solicitors for the Mortgagors.

NAVAL CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received here on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Saturday, the 25th August, instant, for supplying such quantities of fresh beef, mutton, vegetables, soft bread, biscuit, sugar, tea, flour, salt beef, milk, butter, eggs, fowls, firewood, lime, coffins and digging graves, as may be required for Naval purposes.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

Forms of tender can be obtained at this office.

T. SYDNEY DOBBIN,
Acting Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 3rd August, 1894. au4 td

Notice to Shipbuilders.

TENDERS will be received here until noon of Saturday, the 25th August, instant, for building a Decked Scow 32 feet by 22 feet, according to specifications which can be seen on application to the Carpenter of the Yard

Tenders to addressed to the Naval Storekeeper, and endorsed "Tender for Building Scow,"

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

T. SYDNEY DOBBIN,
Acting Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 10th August, 1894. au11-td

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	20th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	12th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au16

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April, 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES RAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

For Sale---New Schooner,

Ready to be launched; on stocks at Port Townsend; about 60 tons new measurement; strongly built; would make first-class sealer. Will be sold at auction at 10 o'clock a.m., at County Court House, Port Townsend, Wash., on 5th day of September, 1894. Terms cash.

By order of Superior Court of Jefferson County.

JOHN BARNESON,
aug 3w Receiver.

HARTMAN & CO.,
COMMISSION :: MERCHANTS,
11 and 12 New City Market.
Always on hand, all kinds of Feed and Grain. We receive fresh consignments of Fruit, Potatoes, Eggs, Butter, Poultry, etc. Give us a call and get prices. je20-1mo

CHAS. HAYWARD,
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52 GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA.
The largest and best appointed Undertaking Establishment in the Province.

THE NEW U. S. TARIFF.

(From the Empire)

Comparison between the new tariff bill passed by Congress and the Canadian tariff as just revised by Parliament is not easily made. The classification of articles in both tariffs is in many cases different. The duty on a particular article in one tariff may be a specific duty, while in the other tariff the duty on the same article may be an ad valorem rate, so that to strike a comparison the value becomes an element in the calculation and values vary a good deal.

In general the United States measure is more strongly protectionist than our own law, though in some cases the duties are about equal, while again in others the Canadian rate is higher. This feature is particularly observable in the agricultural schedules and these duties which affect the produce of the farm. The revision of the Canadian tariff has left the farmer well protected, because while it decreased the duties on the articles he has to buy, it left them untouched on the products he has to sell. The Americans, however, in their own interests as consumers have been compelled to lower the duties on certain food products. In this way, the new tariff supplies a comparison of direct interest and concern to our farmers. The following list partially illustrates this:

Article	*Can. Tariff.*	*New U S Law.*
Live animals	20 per cent.	20 per cent.
Live hogs	1½c. per lb.	20 per cent.
Oats	10c. per bu.	20 per cent.
Oatmeal	20 per cent.	15 per cent.
Barley	30 per cent.	30 per cent.
Flour	75c. per bbl.	20 per cent.
Butter	4c. per lb.	4c. per lb.
Cheese	3c per lb.	4c. per lb.
Eggs	5c. per doz.	3c. per doz.
Conden. milk	3c	2c.
Beans	15c. per bush.	20 per cent.
Potatoes	15c. per bush.	15c pr bush
Hay	$2 per ton.	$2 per ton.
Pease	10c. per bush.	20 per cent.
Vegetables, fresh	25 per cent.	10 per cent.
Hops	6c. per lb.	8c. per lb.
Beef, fresh	3c. per lb.	20 per cent.
Mutton, fresh	35 per cent.	20 per cent.
Canned meats	25 per cent.	20 per cent.
Pork	2c. per lb.	20 per cent.
Lard	2c. per lb.	1c. per lb.
Poultry	20 per cent.	2c. per lb.
Apples, green	40c. per bbl.	30 per cent.
Apples, dried	25 per cent.	20 per cent.
Grapes	2c. per lb.	20 per cent.
Plums	25 per cent.	1½c.
Honey	3c. per lb.	10c. per gal.

This indicates that in a good many lines the Canadian farmer is better protected than the American farmer. The Americans were forced to do this, not by any consideration for Canada, but in the interest of their industrial and city population which has fared so badly during the past two years of depression.

Another feature of the new bill that concerns Canada is the decrease of duties on articles which this country exports to the States. Some of these decreases are as follows:

	McKinley Tariff.	*New Tariff.*
Sawn lumber	$1 per M. ft.	Free.
Shingles	20 & 20c. per M.	Free.
Staves	10 per cent.	Free.
Wool	12c per lb—50 per cent.	Free.
Canned fish	30 per cent.	20 per cent.
Horses	$30.	20 per cent.
Cattle	$10.	20 per cent.
Hogs	$1.50.	20 per cent.
Sheep	$1.50.	20 per cent.
Butter	6c. per lb.	4c per lb.
Cheese	6c. per lb.	4c. per lb.
Milk, con.	3c per lb.	2c. per lb.
Beans	40c. per bush.	20 per cent.
Eggs	5c. per doz.	3c. per doz.
Hay	$1 per ton.	$2 per ton.
Honey	20c per gal	10c per gal.
Hops	15c per lb.	8c per lb.
Onions	40c per bush.	20c per bush.
Potatoes	25c per bush.	15c per bush
Barley	30c per bush.	30 per cent.
Barley, malt	45c per bush.	40 per cent.
Wheat	25c per bush.	20 per cent.
Flour	25 per cent.	20 percent.
Mutton	2c per lb.	20 per cent.
Poultry dr'ss'd	5c per lb.	3c per lb.
Agricultural implements	45 per cent.	Free.
Coal, soft	75c per ton.	40c per ton.

To what extent this may affect international trade is largely a matter of conjecture, though the tendency will undoubtedly be toward stimulating commerce and a larger sale of Canadian products to the States. This is but right, seeing that during the last five years Canada has bought $267,000,000 worth of goods from the republic and has only exported $208,000,000 worth thereto. In fact, Canada is one of the best customers the United States have, and instead of unfriendly tariff legislation has every reason to look for fair treatment.

MINNIE HAUK IN VICTORIA.

The Celebrated Songstress Spends a Few Brief Hours in British Columbia's Capital.

Madame Minnie Hauk, the celebrated prima donna, whose appearance here some years ago is in the vivid recollection of all musical amateurs, paid Victoria a flying visit yeseerday, stopping at the Driard hotel. Mme. Minnie Hauk, accompanied by her husband, Consul-General Baron von Hesse-Wartegg, was a passenger on the Empress of Japan, which arrived from Yokohama on the 17th instant, on her way East.

The great singer left Europe on a tour around the world last January, and visited most of the countries East of the Suez canal. She and her husband spent a week at Johore as the guests of the Sultan of Johore, who conferred his decoration on both of them. While at Singapore they were invited by the King of Siam to visit Bangkok, and during their stay in the country of the White Elephant they were the guests of the government, being royally entertained and shown about the country. They afterwards visited the principal cities of China, including Canton and Nanking. At Shanghai as well as at Hongkong and Singapore, the leading clubs tendered receptions to Mme. Minnie Hauk, and in grateful recognition of her singing at these occasions presented her with costly testimonial souvenirs.

Baron Hesse-Wartegg then proceeded to Korea, whilst his distinguished wife went to Japan, receiving there many social attentions. They delighted the communities of Yokohama and Kobe by giving concerts, with amateur support, in both cities. The Mikado, who received the Baron in special audience, commanded a soiree musical at the Imperial palace of Tokio, which, however, had to be countermanded on account of the declaration of war.

On arrival at Vancouver the couple undertook a trip through the Puget Sound cities, and they expressed themselves astonished and delighted with the wonderful progress noticeable since their last visit, especially with the growth of Victoria.

In spite of numerous invitations, Mme. Minnie Hauk is not going to appear in public at any of the cities, her trip around the world being one of pleasure exclusively. In the instance of Baron Hesse Wartegg one special object of his visit to Canada is the revision of his work "Canada and Newfoundland," which appeared originally in Germany about seven years ago, and has been pronounced by competent critics as the best book on this country. The favorable views expressed in the same have largely contributed towards directing the attention of German tourists and settlers to this country. Mme. Minnie Hauk will sing in New York during the winter, when a tour to the Pacific coast will most likely be arranged. Considering the great impression she produced during her first visit, her second one is bound to be equally successful.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

Illness of the Canadian High Commissioner—No Doubts of His Ultimate Recovery.

TORONTO, Aug. 22.—A special cable to the Telegram says: "Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian High Commissioner, while returning from a visit to Scotland was taken ill on the train. His attendants advised that he should be taken from the railway carriage and placed under medical treatment, and this was accordingly done as soon as the train drew up at Chester, some sixteen miles from Liverpool. Sir Charles caught a chill while journeying on the train, but his physician has expressed no doubt of his ultimate recovery, assuring your correspondent that his patient would be able to continue his journey to London in the course of a few days.

There are many Canadians travelling in Great Britain this month. Several persons who called at the office of the High Commissioner shis morning were alarmed at the first serious reports of his sudden illness.

THE CITY MARKETS.

First of the Season's Wheat—Advance in Eggs—Fruit Lower—Meats Scarce—Fish Plentiful.

A noteworthy feature of the market this week is the receipt of the first of this year's crop of wheat, grown on Col. Prior's ranch on Hillside avenue and sold yesterday to the National mills. Though the grain is about three weeks later in maturing this year than last, it is of fine quality. Last year the first wheat was received on August 28 and three years ago on July 28. Harvesting is now in full blast in the country and considerable grain will probably be brought in during the next few weeks. Eggs have advanced five cents since last quotations, the rise being in consequence of a shortage in supply. The other changes are confined to fruits, which in several instances have dropped two and three cents per pound. Owing to the warm weather the stock of fresh meats is almost limited to the daily demand. Fish, particularly salmon, are becoming more plentiful and show greater signs of plenteousness.

Current retail quotations are as follows:

FLOUR—Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl	$ 5.50
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	5.50
Premier	5.50
Three Star	5.25
Victoria	5.25
Lion	4.00
Royal	5.25
Portland roller	5.00
Snow Flake	5.00
Salem	5.00
Wheat, per ton	25.00@30.00
Oats, per ton	35.00@40.00
Barley, per ton	32.00@35.00
Middlings, per ton	30.00@32.50
Bran, per ton	20.00@25.00
Ground Feed, per ton	30.00@35.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs.	.40
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs.	.50
Rolled Oats, per lb	6
Potatoes (new), per lb	.11
Cabbage, per lb.	3@4
Cauliflower, per doz	1.00
Hay, baled, per ton	17@18.00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Onions, per lb	.05
" Silver, per lb	.06
Eggs, Island, per dozen	.35
" imported	.20
Butter, fresh	25@35
" Creamery, per 3 lbs.	1.00
Hams, American, per lb	.20
" Canadian "	.18
" Boneless "	.20
Bacon, American, per lb	18@20
" Rolled "	.14
" Long clear "	.15
" Canadian "	.18
Shoulders, per lb	.14
Lard "	15@20
Golden Cottolene, per lb	.15
Meats—Beef per lb	8@15
Sides "	8@10
Mutton, per lb	8@12½
" Frozen, per lb	8@11
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@15
Chickens, per pair	1.00@2.00
Turkey per lb	18@25
Geese per lb	16@25
Pigeons, each	25@35
Fish—Salmon (Spring), per lb	8@10
Halibut	8@10
Cod, per lb	6@8
Small fish	5@6
Smelts, per lb	8@10
Fruits—Apples per lb	5@6
" (Australian) per lb	.10
Oranges (Australian) per doz	25@30
do. (Naval) "	40@50
do. (Mexican) "	25@30
Limes, "	.10
Lemons (California) "	35@40
" (Australian) "	25@40
" (Sicily) "	40@50
New Orleans Bananas, per doz	45
Pine Apples, apiece	20@30
Honolulu Bananas, per doz	20@35
Tomatoes, per lb	5
Cherries, "	10@12
Apricots, "	8@11
Peaches, "	10@12
Plums, "	4@5
Gooseberries, per lb	8@10
Strawberries, "	8@12
Black Currants, "	8@10
Red "	8@10
Raspberries, "	8@10
Pears "	8@19
Watermelons, each	35, 50@75

Dandruff is an exudation from the pores of the scalp that spreads and dries, forming scruff and causing the hair to fall out. Hall's Hair Renewer cures it.

The Bank Exchange.

Luncheon will be served as usual, and this evening at 15 cents.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Estate of George Fairbrother, Deceased Intestate and in the Matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Drake, bearing date the 11th day of August, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the personal estates, chattels and credits of George Fairbrother, late of the City of Victoria, B.C., deceased intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 11th day of September, A.D. 1894, and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.
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IN RE GEORGE THOMSON, DECEASED:

Pursuant to the Trustees and Executors' Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of George Thomson, who died at Victoria on the 7th day of August, 1894, and whose will was duly proved by George Roberts and Maria Thomson, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October, 1894:

Notice is also given that at the expiration of the time named the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they have not had notice at the time of the distribution.

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THE case of James Bauchet, charged with stealing a chicken from William Deans out at Mount Tolmie, came up in the Provincial court yesterday afternoon. Magistrate Macrae, after listening to the evidence, convicted and imposed a sentence of one month. Some other charges of a similar nature were withdrawn.

THE directors of the A. O. U. W. Building Association will hold a meeting in Captain J. D. Warren's office at 10:30 this morning. The new building is about completed and arrangements are to be made for the formal taking over, and the dedication ceremonies which as now arranged, will con- [illegible] Coupons and 12 cents.

THE LATEST PROPOSAL.

The proposal to raise $350,000 to be expended in the improvement of the city water supply system will not, we think, under present circumstances, be acceptable to the ratepayers. As long as uncertainty exists, not only as to the quality of the water of Elk Lake, but as to its being competent to supply the city with a sufficient supply of water at a proper pressure, the general impression appears to be that any considerable sum of money expended upon the present waterworks will be wasted. There are many who believe that the source of Elk Lake's supply is too small to yield water enough to suffice for the wants of the city, if it continues to grow as it has grown during the last six or seven years, and as it is likely to grow. The comfort, the health and the safety of the citizens require a plentiful supply of good water. Before the large sum of $350,000 is voted to improve the waterworks at Elk lake the corporation ought to be satisfied that the lake will be capable of supplying the probable demand of the city and suburbs for say fifty years to come. The city, when considering a necessary work like its water supply, should look at least that far ahead. A short-sighted, hand-to-mouth policy, in a matter of that kind, is the very worst and the least excusable sort of extravagance.

The corporation, if they really desire to improve the city's water supply, should, without loss of time, take the proper measures to secure the services of an engineer of high reputation to advise them as to the best means of supplying this city with water. It would not take such an engineer long to give them all the information they need relative to the capacity of Elk lake. Without the advice of such an expert it will be, we are quite sasisfied, simply vain for them to apply to the ratepayers for authority to raise money to improve the waterworks. The citizens believe that there has been a great deal too much money wasted upon these works already.

AN INTERESTING EXPERIMENT.

An interesting experiment is being made in New Zealand to encourage immigrants and others to settle on the land. The Government does not sell the land to the settler on easy terms nor does it make him a present of it. It divides large tracts into small farms and leases these farms to the settlers. The rent is very low at first, but it increases as the land is enhanced in value by the labor of the settler and his neighbors. The Government also lends the settler a small sum of money at a low rate of interest to give him a start. The interest of the loan is added to the rent. The Government has borrowed about sixteen millions of dollars, partly in Great Britain and partly in the colony, to carry out the scheme. It was started six or seven years ago, and it has in that time leased 22,677 acres to 900 settlers. The rent paid is 5 per cent. on the capitalized value of the land, revaluations being made at stated periods. The sum of $123,000 has been advanced to those 900 settlers and now the Government is getting about $60,000 a year as rent and interest. It is said that the value of the improvements on which the $123,000 has been advanced is $185,000.

The settlers in New Zealand are very different from those in North America if they will be content to go on paying rent to the Government for the land they are themselves improving. Farmers in America like to call the land they till and improve their own, and they want to have the power to leave it to their children. It may be different in New Zealand, though we doubt it. In America let tenant farmers rights be what they may, he feels that he is not in very deed the owner of the land and the yoke of the landlord galls him, no matter how easy he may try to make it. There have been revolts against rent-paying by the settlers on agricultural lands in both the colonies of British America and the states of the Union, although the rent in some instances appeared to be merely nominal. We will be greatly surprised if the New Zealand system of Government landlordism will work smoothly or for any considerable length of time.

A SERIOUS LOSS.

The complaint that the corn crop of the United States will be this year to a great extent a failure, is general. This means a great deal, not to one or two corn states alone, but to the whole Union. The corn crop of last year amounted to the enormous quantity of 1,619,496,131 bushels. This year it will be greatly under that figure. The corn looked well until the middle of July. Up to that time farmers confidently expected a crop much better than the average, but the hot, dry winds came and shrivelled up the corn and completely ruined it in several sections of the country. This is what the St. Louis Globe-Democrat says of the damage to the corn crop:

A falling off in the corn yield projects itself farther than would a reduction in the crop of any other cereal. Owing to the great magnitude of the average yield a shrinkage of 20 or 30 per cent. means a loss of several hundred millions of bushels. A comparison of the condition now with that of a month ago indicates a loss of 500,000,000 or 600,000,000 bushels in the crop, which figure is in excess of the entire wheat yield for the year. When corn is plentiful and cheap it is fed largely to hogs, and the present reduction in the crop, therefore, means higher prices for pork products of all sorts. Cotton is no longer king, nor is wheat. Corn has taken the scepter from those products, and has held it for several years. With corn higher in price than wheat, a falling off in the yield which represents more bushels than the whole of the wheat crop is a serious matter for the corn-producing states, for the railroads and for the country in general.

ENGLISH WORKMEN.

The August number of the North American Review contains an article on "English Workmen and Their Political Friends," by Sir John Gorst. The views of this eminent and able British statesman on Labor questions are entitled to respectful attention, as he has evinced the greatest interest in labor matters and has taken an active part in conferences that have had for their object the amelioration of the condition of the working man, not of England only, but of many other countries.

Sir John's observation and experience have shown him that labor in Great Britain need not expect a very great deal from legislators and politicians. He says:

"Though there is comparatively little that changes in the law can do to improve the condition of the workers, yet there are certain measures which have a tendency in this direction and which would be carried without shaking the foundation of society, without altering the laws of property and without letting in violent or revolutionary changes. But in reference to these no political leader has any definite plan to recommend, and at present there is no prospect of anything practical being done."

The writer in order, we presume, to show how difficult it is to devise means for the settlement of labor questions by legislation, reminds his readers of how little the Royal Commission, from which so much was hoped and expected, has been able to do. He says:

"The Royal Commission of Labor, after three years' consideration, could recommend nothing more practical than the encouragement of voluntary tribunals of conciliation and arbitration, but they pointed out in their own report that such institutions could only succeed in organized trades; and it may be estimated from their report that the unorganized exceed the organized workers in a proportion of at least six to one. In fact it is the weaker party in a trade dispute that calls for conciliation and arbitration. The stronger will not hear of interference. The Homestead strike in Pennsylvania in 1892 would have been averted if the employers who were the stronger were willing to negotiate or if any public authority had existed capable of forcing them to do so."

Sir John Gorst is of opinion that there should be some authority to compel the parties to a labor dispute to meet to consider it and to devise means for a settlement. He would, if we understand him, have compulsion go no further than this. The settlement should be perfectly voluntary. The authority of the State should not do more than to bring the parties together. Speaking of the Homestead strike he, after commenting on the mischief it had done, the lives it had sacrificed and the losses it had inflicted on all concerned, goes on to say: "If any public body had been charged with the duty of mediating at the beginning of the trouble, and had possessed authority to bring the parties together, all this would have been averted." Continuing his argument, Sir John Gorst says: "The nation, it is true, has the strongest moral right to interfere, for it has not only to defray the costs of keeping the ring while the fight goes on, but has its interests and welfare jeopardized in all the ramifications of its complicated industries by the stoppage of any particular branch." But the reviewer has very little hope of his suggestion being adopted by the Parliament of Great Britain, or accepted by either the employers or the working class. "There is no force at present," he says, "to overcome the inertia of Government and Parliament and the establishment of tribunals of conciliation and arbitration is not yet within the sphere of practical politicians."

Sir John Gorst seems to hope that when the Conservatives are again in power they will be able to do something practical towards facilitating the settlement of labor disputes. He holds that Conservatives, although it is not their policy to show their hand while in Opposition, are both better able and more willing to help the worker than the Radicals. He says: "The Conservative party has in relation to labor questions one great advantage which the people are beginning to realize; it is not pledged to organic change, and has therefore in office more leisure for social legislation. This is the explanation of the undoubted fact that more of the recent laws for the benefit of the workers have been passed under Conservative than under Radical administrations."

It is observed in England as well as in this country that the Radicals are very attentive indeed to the workingman immediately before a general election, but that their interest in him subsides in a most extraordinary manner almost as soon as the elections are over. Nothing more is said of the expectations that were raised and the promises that were made. They seem to have suddenly passed away from the remembrance of the enthusiastic Radicals as soon as they were safely seated in the Legislature. "The Radical party," says Sir John Gorst, "tries persistently to turn labor questions into party questions and to represent themselves as the sole friends of the working classes. . . But in spite of their indecent zeal to arrogate to themselves the leadership of the labor party, they fail for several reasons to gain the confidence of the workers." The same course has been pursued by the Radicals on this side of the Atlantic and with a similar result.

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THE CITY.

THE management of the Maternity Home find that through an oversight a much appreciated donation from Mr. Stevens was not acknowledged with others a few days ago.

THOMAS REORDON, charged with an aggravated assault on J. Anderson, was dismissed when the case came up in the police court yesterday, Anderson refusing to prosecute.

TO MORROW a case of alleged infraction of the Contagious Diseases act will come up in the Provincial court. W. Heal is charged with refusing to destroy a cow affected with tuberculosis.

REV. DR. CAMPBELL, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, united in marriage at the Manse, Pandora street, on the 16th instant, Mr. George H. Geary of Vancouver and Miss Isabella Calhoun of this city.

FOR several days past countless thousands of small butterflies have hung over the city in veritable clouds, generally to be noticed about one hundred feet from the ground. The presence of the fluttering flock is taken by the weatherwise to indicate a continuance of very hot weather.

THE case of James Bauchet, charged with stealing a chicken from William Deans out at Mount Tolmie, came up in the Provincial court yesterday afternoon. Magistrate Macrae, after listening to the evidence, convicted and imposed a sentence of one month. Some other charges of a similar nature were withdrawn.

THE directors of the A. O. U. W. Building Association will hold a meeting in Captain J. D. Warren's office at 10:30 this morning. The new building is about completed and arrangements are to be made for the formal taking over, and the dedication ceremonies which as now arranged, will conclude with a social dance.

THE contents of a small purse picked up in the street a few days ago tell a pathetic little story in their own mute way. The purse is a common leather one and contained what is evidently the last leaf of a letter from "home"—from a loving wife who prays that they may soon be re-united. In another part of the purse was a pawn ticket for articles valued at $3 50, a three-cent Canadian stamp and a English farthing.

ONE of the smaller vessels of the Victoria sealing fleet is reported to be receiving the close attention of the authorities at present, with every prospect of her early seizure for violation of the law. She is said to have cleared in the customary manner for a hunting and fishing voyage to the Japan coast, but went instead to the Island of Oahu in the Hawaiian group, where after two months' delay she succeeded in landing her cargo of Victoria opium.

THE Right Hon. Sir John E. Gorst, M. P., will shortly visit this Province on a business trip in connection with the British Empire Mutual Life Assurance Co., of which he is president; he will be accompanied by Mr. G. H. Ryan, actuary and secretary of the company. The party have spent some time in Montreal and Toronto, and are now journeying westward. They will remain a few days in Vancouver and then come on to Victoria, their present plan being to leave this city on the return trip East about the 15th proximo.

IT has been a very long time since Victoria was treated to the sight of a water-carrier on her streets, yet a couple of young men who essayed the experiment yesterday say that they have no reason to complain of lack of patronage. The knowledge that all who can obtain it are now using the water from the Esquimalt works, and that thirsty citizens are glad of an opportunity to buy spring water conveyed to the city in barrels, should surely hurry the accomplishment of something in the direction of improving the public water supply. It is not a pleasant sight, though a novel one, to see vendors of Adam's ale doing good business from house to house in the city.

IN THE notice of the funeral of the late Captain Smallfield in yesterday's issue, especial reference to the exquisite and pathetic music of the B.C.B.G.A. band under bandmuster Finn was omitted. At the cathedral, the organ, presided over by Mr. Pa[illegible] joined with the band in the beautifu' "Nearer my God to Thee" and "[illegible] years shall roll." As the procession left the cathedral the magnificent strains of the organ were heard again in the "Dead March from Saul." The chief mourners at the funeral, following the coffin were Hon. J. H. Turner, Mr. Patterson, Mr. Rout Harvey, Mr. R. S. Byrn, Mr. Roderick Finlayson, Mr. George Harvey, Mr. T. Pedney, Mr. T. Berridge and Mr. W. Lorimer. A beautiful floral cross, ordered by telegraph, was sent to the drill shed from his loving sister, and a wreath from Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beeton a short time before the procession started.

RR. ALLEN GRIFFITHS, Pacific Coast lecturer on Theosophy, is now in Victoria on his second visit, and while here will give two popular lectures. Many who heard his first addresses will no doubt be pleased to learn of his return. Since last here he has made an extensive tour of the entire coast and his lectures have been attended by large and cultured audiences. Theosophy as presented by Dr. Griffiths is claimed to be a broad and comprehensive philosophy which deals with every day affairs as well as the deeper questions which more particularly concern students and thinkers. Common ethics and the philosophy of life and human existence are alike considered, the former as they appeal to the masses, and the latter as problems that command the consideration of philosophers. The series of lectures here will be free, and all are invited to attend and to ask any questions which they may desire to have answered by the lecturer at the close of his addresses. The subject for Friday evening, August 24, is "Theosophy, Adepts and Cycles;" on Sunday evening following the theme will be "Theosophy and Heredity."

THE members of the Y.L.I. last evening gave a reception to their retiring officers, the occasion being a thoroughly pleasurable one in every respect.

THE Bowman sale of horses under distress warrant of the North Dairy ranch, has been postponed on account of low and unspirited bidding. The bunch will probably be brought into town.

OWING to the absence of one of the solicitors the police court did not indulge in its customary game of fan tan yesterday. Ah Wing will be given a chance to continue his brief explanation of the game on Friday.

SPECIAL CONSTABLE KENNEDY, who was one of the passengers from the north on the Boscowitz yesterday, brought down W. Johnson, a prisoner from the Naas river, who had been arrested for stealing a watch, and committed to stand his trial by Justice of the Peace M. K. Morrison.

THE sewerage commissioners met at 1 o'clock yesterday to consider thirty-six applications for the positions of inspector in connection with the proposed sewerage works in the business section of the city. Messrs. Edward Bragg, R. Bushby (the latter late of Sydney, N. S. W.), William Lorimer and James Blackwood were the successful parties, their duties to commence as soon as they are notified by the city engineer that their services are required.

THE Brackman & Ker Milling Company yesterday received a letter from J. B Thacher, chairman of the executive committee on awards at the World's Fair, stating that the medal forthcoming for the company's fine display of rolled oats will be accompanied by a diploma showing on what grounds it is presented. The diploma will read "For purity, fine quality and remarkably good color." It will be some time yet before the medal will arrive.

THE various committees on the citizens carnival celebration at the agricultural exhibition will hold meetings as follows: Finance committee, Thursday, Aug. 23; sports and games committee, Friday Aug. 24. Representatives of the various societies are requested to bring the matter of "society day" up in their lodges and appoint delegates to meet in the city hall Monday evening August 27. The general committee will hold another meeting Tuesday August 28, and the decoration committee meets at the call of the secretary in Mr, Boggs' office.

A BELLA COOLA Indian named Puddy appeared in the police court yesterday on the usual charge—"possession intoxicant." When Paddy was asked to explain, he promptly suggested that the white man who sold the liquor could tell all about it. An officer was sent out with Paddy, and shortly afterward returned escorting William Malby. Mr. Malby blushed and looked astonished when Paddy stated that the six bottles of beer which led to his downfall had been supplied by the said William. Paddy, who did not deny being drunk, was assessed $5 and $1 costs, while Malby was asked to put up $50 or languish for one month.

FURTHER investigation has failed to throw any new light on the origin of the fire in the New York clothing store. Mr. Marymont says that when he left the store, somewhere near seven o'clock, everything was in good shape. The building is lighted by electricity and there were no stoves or gas jets about. The London and Canadian insurance company and the Scottish Union and National are the companies which carried the stock, having $5,000 each on it; the building is the property of the Johnson estate and was also covered. The appraisers are taking stock but cannot yet estimate the loss, which has been put at figures ranging all the way from $4,000 to $16,000.

A SUBSCRIPTION fund for the benefit of the widow of the late Robert Barber, of this city, who was drowned in the Skeena river on July 18, has been raised in the North, and a purse of $219 50 was brought down by purser Friend, of the Boscowitz, yesterday for the bereaved lady, who resides in Victoria. The amounts subscribed are as follows: R Cunningham & Sons cannery, $66; R.C P. Co. Claxton, $27; Aberdeen cannery, $44; Balmoral cannery, $23; Inverness cannery, $31; Rev. J. Hall, $2; Rev. J. B. McCullogh, $3; Mr. G. Robinson, $2 50; Mr. C. E. Lart, $2 50; Mr. G. Chambers, $1; Steamer Boscowitz, $5; Mr. A. Pedan, $2; J. H. Friend, $2; B. Madigan, $5; H. Anderson, $1; Miss E Dickenson, $2.50.

JOHNNY TSAAQUITI and Charley Chlalis, the two Fort Rupert delegates sent down to clear their tribe from the many stains now resting on its character, have succeeded in getting the ear of the public, and are happy. Freely translated, their complaint is to the effect that the bad name which the Fort Ruperts are the unwilling possessors of, is by no means a just one. As the dusky delegate put it: "Heap Siwash get drunk. Spose catch, well him all time say 'me Fort Rupert.' All time one man Mamalilikulla or Minkiati, or Naquatin, or Nawiti, or Tsewlta, or Hequamish, or Tenactacwt, or Klawatsis or Matilpa, all same. Spose he make trouble, pretty quick he say 'me Fort Rupert.' Now him Fort Rupert man all time heap good Siwash. No trouble, but spose we catch him, give us bad name, well"—the speaker's expression was far from lamblike. "One time now all good Fort Ruperts put totem letters F. R. on shirt. No more say 'me Fort Rupert' spose him no catch letters. By an' by you see no more trouble Fort Rupert Siwash." It would appear that the delegates have not only voiced the sentiments of the tribe, but have touched on a point where they have just cause for complaint. When one of the Siwashes from that section is arrested, he gives the unpronounceable name of his tribe. This is generally followed by the question: "That's Fort Rupert, is it not?" and down he goes as a member of that tribe. Just what has caused the moral crusade for the elevation of the name of the tribe, neither of the delegates could say. They only knew that a "big talk" had been called, and after much discussion they were sent down to Victoria to explain matters to the "Tyees." That they mean business is indicated by the remark of one "Bad Siwash make Fort Rupert bad name. We make him name good or maybe hurt some men."

A SPECIAL meeting of branch Northern Light, No. 1, J.O O.F. will be held on Saturday evening, the 25th, for the discussion of important lodge matters.

Two bars of gold valued at $10,000 were shipped to San Francisco by the City of Puebla. The Horsefly mine furnished one and the Cariboo the other. The shipment was made by Mr. F. H. Worlock, who received the bars from the agent of the Vancouver branch of the Bank of British Columbia.

A FULL dress rehearsal of "Cupid Among the Flowers" in the theatre last evening gave perfect satisfaction. The children are well trained and the choruses excellent, the costumes being all that could be desired. Present indications are that the house will be well filled to greet the little ones, who are working earnestly to make the performance a success.

THE CHARMER this morning carried away the largest shipment of sealskins ever made from Victoria. It comprised 172 casks, or over 10,000 skins, and when loaded on the train will make over five carloads. The skins include some of those which recently arrived from the Japan coast on the Viva. They are being forwarded by Robert Ward & Co., Ltd., to London, Eng, and will go over the C. P. R.

THE COLONIST'S correspondent at Alert bay writes that the exploring party sent to the north in charge of Rev. W. W. Bolton has abandoned the idea of reaching Victoria by traversing the interior of the island. They find their task much more serious than they anticipated, and not having sufficient time at command to carry out their original plans, they have now decided to go through to Nootka sound and thence take canoe for home.

A SAILOR of the steam collier Costa Rica met with a somewhat serious accident on board his vessel yesterday morning. He was calling from the deck to workmen down in the hold, and in doing so fell through the hatch over which he was leaning, a distance of twenty feet. The Dupont ambulance was immediately summoned and the unfortunate man was soon afterwards conveyed to the Jubilee hospital for treatment. His injuries are of a serious nature.

A GOOD sized excursion party arrived from Vancouver on the steamer City of Nanaimo eorly yesterday afternoon, accompanied by a fine military band. The steamer left the Terminal City at 9 o'clock and had a delightful passage down, leaving here on the return trip at 11 at night. On arrival here the members of the band, which was formerly known as the Musical Club band, but which is now attached to the B.C.B G.A. at Vancouver, were taken in charge by Col. Prior and driven in hacks to the drill hall, where, after being shown around, they were given an address of welcome.

ONE of the most enjoyable garden parties of the summer was given yesterday afternoon and evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church at the residence of Mrs. William Dalby. The beautiful lawn was artistically decorated with Chinese lanterns, Japanese umbrellas and brilliant bunting. Tea, coffee, cake, lemonade and ice cream were served at tables arranged under the shade trees, and the peals of merry laughter which made the welkin ring showed the unalloyed happiness of the "handsome men and bonnie lassies" who assembled to enjoy one of British Columbia's perfect summer evenings. At 10 o'clock

"Each took his several way,
Resolved to meet some other day."

ABOUT 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon H. M. S. Satellite steamed into Esquimalt harbor, and came to her moorings in Constance Cove. The Satellite was formerly on this station for a time, and was commissioned at Chatham last January to relieve the Garnet. The delay in arriving was caused by a trip to the west coast of Africa, where some native troubles claimed attention for several months. At Callao another short stop was made, after which a direct cruise was ordered to this port. A cruiser of the third-class, the Satellite carries eight guns, registers 1,420 tons with an indicated horse-power of 950, forced draught 1,400. The officers are: Albert C. Allen, commander; Gerald A. Heyman, lieutenant; Hugh F. W. Smith, lieutenant; Berkeley Holme-Summer, lieutenant; James L. H. German, paymaster; Jerome Barry, M. D, surgeon; Sidney G. Haddock, engineer; Henry Berry, gunner; Edward Jackman, boatswain; William Booley, boatswain. The Satellite brings but little news from the South, affairs being rather quiet when she left. It is reported that the vessel will go into dock for a general overhauling at once.

PART thirteen of the Masterpieces opens with a picture entitled "Cleopatra." The most beautiful women that ever has trod upon earthly soil and whose ravishing beauty has greatly influenced the course of ancient history, Cleopatra has often and with differing success been painted by ancient and modern masters. In choosing his models the artist has to depend on historical facts and on his own imaginative powers to paint as probably an image of that great Egyptian enchantress as possible. A Cabanel, whose biography was published in Part V of the Masterpieces, has solved the problem in an exquisite manner. That woman with her voluptuous form and sensual expression in Cabanel's painting, we readily accept as a portrait of the famous daughter of Ptolemaus XIII, King of Egypt, who was born 66 B.C. After her father's death, she and her ten-year old brother were dethroned by Potheinos. She appealed to Julius Cæsar, the greatest warrier and statesman that ever lived, who reinstated her to her royal rights after she had ensnared him with her beauty. She had a son by Cæsar, visited the powerful dictator in Rome 46 B.C., and remained until after the murder of Cæsar 44 B.C. Few years later the Roman commander-in-chief Antonius fell a victim to her beauty. He forgot his wife Octavia in Rome and his duty as a general and leader of an army. He had several children by Cleopatra. Finally Octavian, his brother-in-law, avenged the wrong committed by Antonius. He captured Alexandria and drove both Antonius and Cleopatra into death. Their corpses were buried together in the year 30 B.C.

FIVE FISHERMEN DROWNED.

Fatal Accidents to Occupants of Nova Scotia Boats.

MEAR COVE, N.S., Aug. 22.—A sad drowning accident occurred on the Magdaline islands by which five men were drowned from three boats. Valentine Peesahas and his son, aged 10 years, and Charles Vignean aged 18, were drowned from one boat; Simon Cyr, aged 12, and Nelson Cumming, aged 20, were drowned from the other two boats.

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The Northern Salmon Pack—News and Notes of the Water Front.

Facilities for repairing vessels at Victoria are every year being enlarged and improved, so that they now (or will within very few months) compare favorably with any on the Coast. Notwithstanding the general depression of business, it is believed that the prosperity of the shipping trade of this port is sufficient to warrant the construction of another marine railroad here. Plans and specifications have already been drawn by Mr. Harry Kesler for the well known shipbuilder, Mr. William Turpel. The site for the railroad is that now occupied by Turpel's ways, at the foot of which is a depth of twenty-four feet of water. For some time after the Mud Lark dredge was bought over by the Dominion government last winter, she was employed deepening the water approach to the shipyard, so that now almost any vessel can make use of it. The contract for building the railroad has been let to Mr. Kesler, and the agreement calls for the completion of the work by October 15. The Victoria Iron Works are to supply all the machinery and have already commenced work upon it. Only in one respect will the railroad differ from the one recently completed in Esquimalt, and that will be in size. It will be much smaller, and consequently the double gear will not be required, the chains being also dispensed with and steel ropes substituted. Double engines, 10x12, with a high pressure boiler, and other machinery correspondingly powerful and capable of raising upright fifty tons weight, will be employed in the new ways. The cradle which is to be operated by it will be worked on rollers and will be run on ways about 300 feet long. When completed the railroad can accommodate most local vessels, or at least any up to 500 tons register.

DOWN FROM THE NORTH.

After a stoppage of a day at Vancouver to discharge 2,753 cases of salmon brought down from the Skeena river, the steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived from the North yesterday morning. For Victoria she brought about as much more salmon, there being 1,500 cases consigned to Findlay, Durham & Brodie, and 800 cases for R P. Rithet & Co. Ltd. from River's Inlet. Except at Alert bay the northern canneries are reported as all closed down, the total pack, roughly estimating, being about 122,000 cases. At River's Inlet and on the Naas river each cannery has 13,000 cases done up, the catch being fully up to expectations. The Carthew cannery on the Skeena is not canning but salting salmon this year. They now have 700 barrels done up, and are anxious to get 300 more. The passengers whe came from the North on the steamer are: Rev. J. B. McCullogh, Rev. R. W. Gurd, Rev. J. Hall, Miss E. Dickenson, A. Parmiter, F. Dalby, Mr. and Mrs. G. Chambers, A. Pedan, D. McGill, F. Hennelly, G. Robinson, R. McRae, D. McArthur, H. C. Lawson, H. Anderson, R. McDonald, J. Van Tassell and others, also a number of Japs and Chinese.

THE "ARCHER'S" NEW NATIONALITY.

A special to the COLONIST from Port Townsend says that Captain Rufus Calhoun, the purchaser of the hulk Archer, which was abandoned off Vancouver Island last winter and towed into Victoria, is experiencing considerable difficulty in getting the American register for his vessel. The hulk originally cost him $4,000, and he has since spent about $20 000 in repairing it and refitting it for service. American laws absolutely prohibit foreign bottoms from flying the American flag, and consequently Captain Calhoun has been obliged to petition Congress to pass a special act for his relief, which will enable the Archer to become an American vessel. The bark will be used exclusively in the San Francisco-Hawaiian sugar trade.

THE "COLUMBINE" IN PORT.

The U.S. lighthouse tender Columbine, Captain Richardson, arrived in the inner harbor yesterday morning and will leave again this morning. Commander Farenholt, inspector of the 13th lighthouse district, is on a tour of inspection of the Puget Sound stations. Chief Clerk Barker, of Portland, is also aboard, and is on a well earned vacation. He has been seventeen years in the service, all administrations having recognized the value of his services. Captain Richardson yesterday was renewing acquaintance with the many friends he has made in Victoria.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Harry Lynn made another trip to Victoria from Roche Harbor yesterday with a small freight.

American bark Iroquois is awaiting a charter for wheat, at Esquimalt.

Ship Lismore will tow up to Vancouver with the Lorne to-day.

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" Daisy..... " Sidney.
" City of Nanaimo.... " Vancouver.

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Methods Pursued in Various German Cities in Dealing With Public Services.

Great Care Taken to Guard Zealously the Interests of the Citizens.

(By Albert Shaw, in the Century.)
(Continued.)

ABATTOIRS, MARKET-HALLS AND FOOD INSPECTION.

The great municipal central slaughter house and cattle market, superseding hundreds or thousands of private butcher shops, and managed in such a way as to protect the public health, is now the rule in the cities of Germany.

It is also the German policy to bring under official oversight so far as possible all articles of ordinary food consumption. To this end the ancient custom of open public market places is just now being metamorphosed into a marvelous modern system of vast municipal market halls, erected in the populous quarters of the greater cities and at a convenient central point in smaller places. Berlin has of late been adding rapidly to the number of its housed markets, and its debt on account of the recent cost of land and buildings for this one purpose has reached about 25,000,000 marks. The value of the total investment is considerably greater than the outstanding bonded indebtedness. It is the policy of the market hall administration to rent stalls and plans on a purely commercial basis, and to make the business profitable. The markets are on an admirable financial footing, and already help to lighten rather than to increase the burdens of the general city treasury. There is perhaps no function that the German cities would more unanimously consider as belonging within the sphere of good municipal housekeeping than the anxious and aggressive oversight of the food supply. This is a service that the private family, especially the poor family, cannot possibly secure on its own account. It is therefore proper that the authorities should intervene. The abattoir monopoly is conducted under rules requiring that it shall pay its way, but shall not earn profits.

A MODEL SYSTEM OF POOR RELIEF.

For the care of the poor and the relief of all forms of distress, whether temporary or permanent, the German cities are superbly organized The policy under which relief is administered has the advantage of being a national and uniform one. Thus, while the practical working of the policy belongs to the municipal administration, there is perfect harmony of method, not only throughout Prussia, but also throughout the whole German empire, with the exception of Bavaria and Alsace-Lorraine. Let us glance at the organization of Berlin, for example, as a typical city. There is a strong central department of the city government with a magistrate at its head, and with competent specialists and general advisers attached to it, But the practical work of relief is administered by about 250 local committees, the city being divided for purposes of poor relief into that number of districts. Each district committee has attached to it, ex-officio, a member of the municipal council, and a physician who has been appointed as the regular city physician for that neighborhood. In addition to these officers, the local committee contains from five to twelve citizens who reside in the district. and who have been appointed on the ground of character and trustworthiness.

To be designated a member of one of these local committees for the relief of the poor is regarded as a mark of respect, and is esteemed a substantial honor. It shows that a man has good standing with his neighbors, and also that he possesses the confidence and regard of the ruling authorities of Berlin. No man would dream of refusing to serve on such a committee. Moreover, refusal would carry with it the penalty of increased taxes, and, under certain circumstances, a suspension of civil and political privileges. No remuneration is attached to these appointments, and the duties connected with them are far from nominal, and may not be shirked. Each district is subdivided so that every citizen-member of the local committee is made responsible for a certain number of families and houses. He is expected to know the condition of his little parish. He is fully authorized to administer prompt relief in pressing cases, and is under obligation to examine thoroughly into all cases which require continued assistance.

Germany has not been satisfied, however, with the establishment of a more satisfactory method of poor-relief than any other country has put into practice. It has seemed to German administrators and philanthropists that the whole modern plan of public alms ought to be superseded by a system of publicly managed insurance against sickness, accidents, permanent invalidism and the feebleness of old age—a system aiming at nothing else than the ultimate abolition of poverty. Toward this ideal the Germans have been very bravely and creditably making their way for some years. The business of insurance against sickness has now for a decade or more been carried on by numerous German municipalities, in order to supplement the various relief funds of the trades-unions, and of the volunteer benefit associations existing in the different wards and localities of all the larger German towns. It has been the policy both of the general government and also of the municipal authorities, to encourage and protect in every way the formation of these neighborhood and trade societies for insurance against illness or accident. The system as a whole, whether municipal or otherwise, has had very great development throughout Germany; and at length the German empire has added the crowning touch by enacting a law for the insurance of the working classes against the helplessness of old age.

THE MUNICIPALITY AS THE PEOPLE'S BANKER AND PAWNBROKER.

Municipal savings banks are a venerable institution in Germany, and are to be found almost without exception in all the large towns of the empire. In most of the important German towns, the number of depositors in the publicly managed savings banks differ considerably in matters of detail. Most of them pay an interest of about three per cent. The convenience of depositors is served in the larger places by the maintenance of a great number of branch offices scattered through the different wards and neighborhoods. Thus the Berlin savings bank system has seventy-five or more receiving offices, and the Hamburg system has forty. Berlin has more than 400,000 depositors, with total deposits at the present time approaching 150,000,000 marks. The Hamburg deposits had passed the 100,000,000 point several years ago, and were rapidly growing in volume. Dresden makes the remarkable showing of nearly 200,000 outstanding depositors' books, with total deposits well exceeding 50,000,000 marks. Leipsic, Magdeburg, Frankfort-on-Main, Hanover, Konigsburg and Dusseldorf carry, in proportion to their population, marvelously large sums in the municipal savings banks, distributed among very great numbers of depositors. Altona and Bremen show statistics almost incredible; and it would seem that in Aachen (Aix) almost every man, woman and child in the city holds a bank book.

Municipal pawnshops (Leihhauser) are quite as general in the German cities as the municipal savings banks. These, like the savings flanks, are a venerable institution in Germany. The the public loan office of Augsburg dates from the year 1601; Nuremberg's was founded in 1618, and Hamburg's 1650. Those of Dresden, Munich, Breslau, Frankfort-on-Main and several smaller cities, are more than a hundred years old. Berlin's was established just sixty years ago. Leipsic and Cologne began the business early in this century, as did Strasburg and a dozen other cities. On the other hand, a considerable number of the rapidly growing industrial centres of Germany have established municipal pawnshops as a part of the new municipal activities of the last ten or fifteen years Experience has fully satisfied the German cities as to the feasibility, and the practical benefit to the poor, of an assumption by the municipality itself of the function of loan agent.

PRACTICAL TRAINING AS A MUNICIPAL TASK.

The conception entertained in Germany of the community's duty toward the child is a broader one than that which prevails in our American cities. Every thoughtful man in the empire has recognized the fact that the industrial and commercial, as well as the military and political, future of Germany depends upon the universality of the best kind of education. The German cities have been trying to make their school systems fit the necessities of their population. They have made elementary education universal and compulsory. They have introduced much manual training and physical culture into their school courses, and are many years in advance of our American cities in adapting the quality of instruction to the practical ends that common school education ought to serve. The fresh and practical character of popular education in German cities owes very much to the fact that, in addition to the permanent school officials who supervise the entire educational system of any given municipality, there are numerous local school boards upon which a great number of competent citizens are asked to serve. This service is required upon principles similar to those which call citizens of character to the work of administering poor relief. Thus in Berlin there are some thousands of reputable citizens who are responsibly and intimately connected with the city's educational system. Here again we find a safeguard against the mechanical and perfunctory tendencies of routine officialism. I am sure that, so far as elementary education is concerned, our American cities have much to learn from the methods and results attained by German cities.

ALBERT SHAW.

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Mohair Is a Popular Material This Season, and So Is Serge—Natty and Becoming Models Described—The Convenient Bath Robe—Head Covering.

The bathing suit can no longer be the ordinary blue flannel, without rhyme or reason, made-by-the-dozen sort of an affair. It must have style and individuality about it, and good taste is as necessary in its selection as in the choice of a fall gown. Yet this year's suit is easy to make. In fact, nothing is more conspicuous than the bathing suit, and

NEW BATHING SUITS.

nothing causes more comment, since watching the bathers has become the event of the day at many of the fashionable resorts.

Mohair seems the popular material this season, as it sheds the water, so that the garments do not become as heavy as the flannel ones. Serge is also a favorite, as it comes in a variety of colors.

One of the latest designs in bathing suits has an accordion plaited skirt. The full bodice fastens on one side like a Russian blouse.

A dark blue serge is quite effective trimmed with white braid in scallops around the neck, sleeves, down the front and around the bottom of the skirt and trousers. A ruffle of white comes from under the edge, and a white button decorates the center of each scallop.

Silk is often used for the bathing suits and is especially suitable for the accordion plaited skirts. A very Frenchy affair is made with collar, sleeves, accordion plaited skirt and trousers of petunia colored wash silk, with a tight fitting bodice of flowered silk. The sleeves are short and made of two ruffles. The collar is tied with a sailor knot. The trousers are very wide and gathered at the knee. The latest French importation, however, is the bloomer bathing costume. There is no skirt, and the wide trousers are gathered into a band at the knee.

The striped flannels in various combinations of color are pretty. A white one striped with black is made with a broad collar and belt of white, a deep frill to the waist coming below the belt. Plaitings of white are let into the skirt. A large anchor embroidered in red on the front of the waist gives a touch of color. One that is natty and becoming has the skirt and trousers of red serge and the waist and sleeves of white, striped around with red; a wide jabot shoulder cape of white and white belt and revers on the skirt. It is also made with the blouse, which seems extremely popular this season. Another red suit has a wide collarette of white serge finished around the edge with white braid put on in scallops. The sleeves and bottom of skirt are trimmed in the same way.

The necessity of a bath robe will certainly be felt during the introduction of the bloomer style at least. In fact, the bath robe is a convenience and comfort

A BATH ROBE.

with any suit. The material most used for it is Turkish toweling, and it may be trimmed with fancy cotton braid or ribbon. The only rule is that it must be long, loose and full, so as to slip on easily and drape about one in ample folds.

The wearing of a cap or head covering of any kind is a matter of individual taste. According to the New York Sun, authority for the foregoing, the most becoming arrangement is a square of some fancy stuff, harmonizing with the suit, wound about the head and knotted in front, the ends left standing up in a coquettish way.

The long stockings should carry out the color scheme of the costume. Sandals are often worn as a protection to the feet.

Tennis Suits.

The fashions in tennis suits vary but little. The truth is that the girls who stand about in fanciful and trim tennis frocks are not the ones who play a first class game. To be a crack player one must be suitably dressed. There is nothing better for a tennis dress than a plain skirt and loose waist, with as little underwear as is practicable for the wearer's comfort.

THE CRYSTAL WEDDING.

Suggestions For the Celebration of the Fifteenth Anniversary of a Marriage.

The fifteenth anniversary may be effectively celebrated by an "afternoon tea" out of doors if the "happy pair" be the fortunate possessors of a lawn and shade trees. A few little tables in sheltered nooks and a larger one for the more important dishes are suggestive of pleasure at first sight. In the center of the large table I would place a cut glass dish holding a mass of red roses.

As one is confined to glass dishes for everything at a crystal wedding, its lack of color is better supplemented by red flowers than those of other shades.

A glass dish or vase filled with roses, geraniums or carnations might ornament each of the little tables, for the lavish month of June is so prodigal of blossoms.

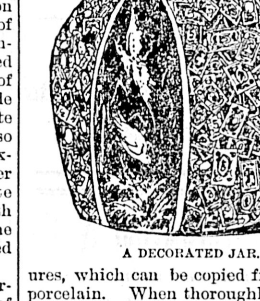
It is the custom in Russia to serve tea in very thin glasses in preference to cups, and as it is taken with lemon instead of cream it is much more dainty in appearance. The Austrians also prefer glasses to cups for their coffee, and the habit once formed no cup seems thin enough. Any excuse to use glass is admissible. The lemonade and ices are of course served in tumblers and glass saucers. Instead of sugar for the tea and coffee, the crystals of white rock candy may be used and are no mean substitute. A profusion of cut glass on the large table makes, of course, an attractive decoration in itself, but the pressed glass now imitates it very nearly and is wonderfully cheap.

Should a dinner be preferred every possible device for using glass should be taken advantage of, according to The Ladies' Home Journal, authority for the following: A large piece of looking glass bordered with red roses, or other flowers, if desired, may be placed on the table, a glass bowl of flowers in the center. If one be not fortunate enough to have inherited old fashioned glass candlesticks, with long pendent prisms, ordinary glass ones are cheap and easily procured. The shades may have a fringe of cut glass beads around them that, catching the light, has a pretty, prismatic effect.

For name cards small, round, beveled mirrors 3 inches in diameter may be easily inscribed with the names of the guests in any colored ink preferred. Wreaths of tiny blossoms painted along the edges would of course greatly enhance their beauty. Should these prove too expensive a simple white card, around the edges of which crystal beads are thickly sewed, forming a sort of a frame, may not be an unacceptable substitute.

Decorating a Jar.

Modern Priscilla gives a hint for decorating an unsightly jar at small expense. The surface of the jar is divided into equal sections and decorated with painting and canceled postage stamps, as shown in the illustration. The painting should be done first. Apply a coat of dark blue, indian red or bottle green, and when this is dry take a fine brush and gold paint and draw Japanese fig-



A DECORATED JAR.

ures, which can be copied from fans or porcelain. When thoroughly dry, give the entire surface of the jar a coat of colorless varnish, and while it is tacky put the stamps in place, assorting the colors as prettily as possible.

Stamps of one color may be used if preferred, the blues, browns and reds being particularly effective when massed separately. Gild any uncovered spaces that may show between the stamps and define the sections with a heavy line of gold. When all is dry, finish with a coat of varnish. If Aspinall's enamel is used in painting, varnish will not be needed except on the stamps.

Baking Soda For Spider's Bite.

Baking soda wet and applied externally to the bite of a spider or any venomous creature will neutralize the poisonous effect almost instantly. It acts like a charm in the case of a snake bite. Soda will also give instant relief to a burn or scald; applied either dry or wet to the burned part immediately the sense of relief is magical. It seems to withdraw the heat and with it the pain.

Dress and Fashion.

The fashion of sleeves in different material from the gown is an excellent one for any woman whose purse is not very long.

Checked silks have been the favorites so far this summer for ordinary wear.

Plain cheviot, percale and linen shirts are good things to wear in hot weather, but the fronts of silk look more dressy and are very cool, if one does not wish to take off one's coat.

Fichus, capes and collarettes of sheer linen lawn trimmed with lace or broad laces themselves are much worn with summer silks.

This is emphatically a summer for ribbons and sashes.

Crepon is quite as popular as ever.

The general outline of fashion remains the same. Sleeves have lost none of their extended appearance, and skirts are plain in front and full in the back, trimmed narrowly around the bottom, if at all, or with bands up and down the front seams.

The most pronounced idea in dress is the fancy for waists quite different from the skirts.

SUPREME COURT.

Wilson v. Cowan—Judgment of Mr. Justice Walkem, Delivered August 21.

The plaintiff's claim amounts to $3,663.41, consisting of items endorsed on the amended writ and alleged to be due to him by the defendant, as his former partner, under the terms of their deed of dissolution of partnership of the 28th of October, 1892. Before dealing with these items I think it best to dispose of some charges made in the statement of defence against plaintiff for negligence on his part in failing to prosecute certain claims for damages which the late firm had against Haas Brothers, of San Francisco, and Grant & Co., of Ontario. If the defendant meant to press the charges, he should have done so by counter-claim and stated his loss. However, under the agreement of dissolution the prosecution or abandonment of the claims was left to the plaintiff's discretion; and, judging from the evidence given at the trial, I think that he exercised that discretion rightly when, after proper inquiries, he abandoned the claims, for there was no foundation for the one against Haas Brothers, and very little to justify legal proceedings against Grant & Co. That part of the plaintiff's claim which charges the defendant with his half share of invoices not brought to account at the time of the dissolution, and of allowances to customers of the firm for shortages, errors, etc., has been satisfactorily proved; but it should, in my opinion, be increased by the item of $101.30 which was improperly treated as a debt due by Turner, Beeton & Co., whereas it was only a claim for damages which stood on the same footing as the claims against Haas Brothers and Grant & Co. It never was a debt, and, therefore, cannot be either a good or a bad debt now. Moreover, it has been proved that the claim could not have been substantiated, hence it must either be treated now as an allowance that should have appeared in sheet D, or be admitted as a separate allowance. The charge of $729 05 is a proper one, as it was an over credit entered by a former book-keeper to close his books that was overlooked at the time of the dissolution, and only discovered since then by the plaintiff's book-keeper, who was also book-keeper for the late firm. The loss of $180 on the sealing venture undertaken by the partnership has also been proved. The defendant will consequently have to bear his half of all the charges and allowances referred to besides half of the aggregate sum of $1283 67 for debts which his counsel has admitted are bad. The "bad debts," as made out by the plaintiff in sheet E, amount to $5866.11, and to a further sum of $3212.20 made up of items endorsed on the amended writ, exclusive of Wright & Co.'s account of $11 40 inserted, as the plaintiff's counsel states, by mistake. Following out what I have said respecting the claim against Turner, Beeton & Co. it must be eliminated from the bad debts schedule, and dealt with as I have stated. The total amount of bad debts will, according to the plaintiff's contention, as thus amended, be $8,977.01 as against $1,283 67 admitted to be bad by the defendant. The difference in these figures is $7,693 34—certainly a very large one in view of the fact that all the debts are at least two years old. A full explanation of each of these debts, of the efforts made to collect each, and of the cause of failure in that respect, was given by the plaintiff's manager as well as by his book-keeper at the trial. Both of these gentlemen occupied somewhat similar positions under the late firm, and, moreover, appear to have enjoyed the confidence of the defendant as well as of the plaintiff. Their evidence therefore is entitled to great weight; and it has convinced me that all the debts classified as "bad" by the plaintiff, were properly so classified. Take for instance the following items: No. 1 "F. L. Stephenson, $16 20." This was for interest on an account due by an Indian, and paid by Stephenson as his guarantor. There being no contract to pay interest, Stephenson as was his right, refused to pay it. As to item No. 3 "Hill & Norgate $63 50," the debtors made an assignment, and the sum of $63 50 represents the loss after the estate was wound up. These two are fair samples of the remaining debts which make up the aggregate of $7,693 34, and which the defendant refused to admit to be bad, even after hearing the convincing evidence to that effect, which I have alluded to. In declining to make such admission, he relies, as he states, on the stipulation in the agreement "that before any such debts so taken as good" (at the time of the dissolution) "shall be ruled off as bad, or any legal proceedings shall be taken for the collection of such debts, the said Maynard Havelock Cowan shall be consulted with, and his consent to such ruling off, or the taking of any such legal proceedings be first obtained." Leaving out the question as to whether Mr. Cowan was properly consulted or not—for there is conflicting evidence on that point—the fact is undisputed that the plaintiff's manager ruled off the debts in question in December, 1893, as "bad debts" without Mr. Cowan's consent. The question, therefore, is, could that consent have been dispensed with from the plaintiff's point of view, viz: on the ground that the defendant was unreasonably withholding it, or can it be dispensed with now by me in view of the fact that it has been proved that the debts referred to are bad, and, to my mind, unquestionably so. In the agreement, there is no covenant by the defendant to give his consent—the only covenant as to consent being a covenant by the plaintiff that he will not rule off any debts as bad without first obtaining the defendant's consent; nor is there any proviso similar to that which is sometimes inserted in leases to the effect that where consent is necessary in should not be "unreasonably" or "arbitrarily" withheld, otherwise the present difficulty might have been overcome. (See Trealor v. Bigge, 22 W. R. 843; Toleman v. Portbury, L. R. 5 Q B 288; Scott v. Corporation of Liverpool, 27 L. J. Chy. 641. Consent in the defendant's, as in every other person's case, implies an act of reason accompanied with deliberation, and that too of a perfectly free and untrammelled character. (See also "Consen" Story's Eq. Jurisprudence, last edition.) If I sho[illegible] as requested, decide that the debts [illegible]ed are bad and give judgment acco[illegible], I should thereby be depriving th[illegible]ndant of his right to exercise his judgement in that respect, a right that has been solemnly assured to him by the plaintiff in the argument of dissolution. I may, and do, think that the defendant has been, and is, acting most unreasonably; but I have no power to overide stipulations which he and the plaintiff have deliberately made, and substitute others which they have not agreed to, merely because the stipulations operate hardly on the plaintiff. The well known case of Jones v. St. John's college L. R. 6 Q.B., 123 is an instance of the refusal by the court to relieve a contractor from heavy penalties to which he had subjected himself by failing to do certain work which he had agreed to do within a specified time although the doing of the work within that time proved as it turned out to be a matter of absolute impossibility.

The plaintiff's counsel contended that the stipulation as to consent merely meant a consent to the act of "ruling off a debt" as bad, and that it did not consequently debar the plaintiff from proving a debt to be bad, and recovering his proportion of it by means, for instance, of a judgment of this court. But, according to a well known rule, mercantile documents must be construed in their mercantile sense; and, following that rule, my interpretation of the language referred to, is that it was agreed that no debt should be adjudged to be bad without the defendant's concurrence. The mere "ruling off" of a debt is a manual or physical act which any clerk might perform; but it will not be denied that to make such an act effective the direction or consent of the employer would be a prerequisite, and such direction or consent, I need hardly say, would imply a consideration and adjudication of the matter on the part of the master. Here the agreement is, in effect, that as each member of the expiring firm has an equal interest in the book debts the decision that any of such debts are bad shall not rest with either party, but shall be the joint decision of both. The plaintiff's claim for half the amount of the debts which the defendant declines to admit are bad, must therefore fail.

I have drawn out a statement based on the evidence showing how, in my judgment, the accounts between the plaintiff and defendant now stand, and how they would have stood had I felt myself at liberty to take the opposite view, advanced by the plaintiff's counsel, that the absence of the defendant's consent to ruling off the debts as bad was no obstacle to the granting of the relief asked for in this action. If the view I take of the whole case be correct the plaintiff still has in his hands a balance of purchase money amounting to $188.96, which, by the terms of the agreement, he has the right to retain until the question of what debts are bad is finally settled. The defendant, therefore, cannot be entitled to a judgment for that amount. On the other hand there is, as I find, nothing due to the plaintiff; yet I ought not to dismiss his action, for were I to do so any future claim made by him upon the defendant for contribution in respect of any debts mutually considered to be "bad," might be barred on the ground of that claim being res judicata in this action. I therefore think the proper course is to order a nonsuit, which I now do, but with leave reserved to the plaintiff to take such other proceedings with respect to any of the matters involved in the action as he may be advised. The nonsuit is to be without costs, as the course adopted by the defendant has, as I have said, been unreasonable.

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" 3 " 42	Robert Pinkerton	181 Fort St., Victoria.
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" 5 " 42	William John Rant	Colwood, Victoria, B.C.
" 6 " 42	John Best	Victoria.
" 7 " 42	G. A. C. Stoddart	Harriett Road, Victoria
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" 9 " 42	W. S. Stoddart	Harriett Rd., Burnside.
" 10 " 42	Henry Callow	Belton Av., Vic. West.

Persons to whom allotments have been made are requested to call at the office of the undersigned and sign their leases.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 17th August, 1894. au19

NOTICE.

Government Street, between Queen's Avenue and Bay Street, will be closed till further notice

By order.

(Signed) E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

May 28, 1894 my29-tf

NOTICE

From this date forth we will not be responsible for any debts incurred in our names.

T. W. & M. R. CARTER.

Dated August 22nd, 1894. au22 2t

LAND REGISTRY ACT.—Subdivision No. 5 of Suburban Five-Acre Lot VIII., Victoria City—A certificate of indefeasible title to the above subdivision will be issued to Maurice Humber on the 19th day of November, 1894, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 10th August, 1894. au15 3m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on land containing about 600 acres, in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, and described as Section 10, Township 10.

JNO. IRVING.
Victoria, July 30, 1894. jy31

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at the sittings of the Board to be held on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 1894, for a license to sell by retail wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors, in and upon the part known as the basement of the building situate upon lots ten (10) and eleven 11), block seventy-seven (77) Victoria City, the Board of Trade Building.

Dated Victoria, B.C., August 10th, 1894.
au11-td WM. JENSEN.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors on the premises known as the Gordon Hotel, Johnson street, Victoria City, to Alexander Hendry.

GEORGE DOUGHERTY.
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"	Aurania	Sep. 11
White Star Line	Majestic	Sep. 5
"	Germanic	Sep. 12
American Line	Paris	Sep. 5
"	Berlin	Sep. 12
North Ger. Lloyd	Elbe	Sep. 8
"	Lahn	Sep. 11
Anchor Line	City of Rome	Sep. 8
"	Ethopia	Sep. 15
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"	Friesland	Sep. 12
Allan State Line	Nebraska	Sep. 14
"	California	Sep. 23

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7:00 a.m. Lv... SPOKANE...Ar. 5:30 p.m

On Wednesdays and Saturdays trains will run through to Nelson, arriving at 5:40 p.m. making close connection with the steamer Nelson for Kalso and all lake points, arriving at Kalso at 9:00 p.m. same days. Returning passengers will leave lake points and Nelson on Wednesdays and Saturdays, arriving at Spokane same days.

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Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

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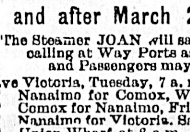

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On and after March 22nd, 1893

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows, calling at Way Ports as Freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a. m.
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" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m
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TIME TABLE No. 20,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, Apr 27th 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily	No. 3 Pass'r. Fr, Sa Su.	Mls. f'm Wel	STATIONS.	Mls. f'm Vic	NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily	No. 4 Pass'r. Fr. Sa, Su.
P.M.	P.M.				A.M.	P.M.
Ar. 12.24	Ar. 8.00	78	Victoria		De. 8.00	De. 3.04
" 12.20	" 7.56	77	Russell's	1	" 8.04	" 3.08
" 12.10	" 7.48	74	Esquimalt	4	" 8.14	" 3.16
" 11.45	" 7.28	67	Goldstream	11	" 8.39	" 3.36
" 11.10	" 6.59	58	Summit Siding	20	" 9.14	" 4.05
" 10.50	" 6.37	50	Shawnigan Lake	28	" 9.34	" 4.27
" 10.40	" 6.27	47	Cobble Hill	31	" 9.44	" 4.37
" 10.27	" 6.15	43	McPherson's	35	" 9.57	" 4.49
" 10.17	" 6.05	40	Koksilah	38	" 10.07	" 4.58
" 10.12	" 6.00	38	Duncan's	40	" 10.12	" 5.01
" 10.02	" 5.52	35	Somenos	43	" 10.22	" 5.12
" 9.36	" 5.32	26	Chemainus	52	" 10.48	" 5.32
" 9.15	" 5.15	19	Oyster Bay Siding	59	" 11.09	" 5.49
De. 8.34	" 4.42	5	Nanaimo	73	Ar. 11.50	" 6.22
Ar. 8.25			Nanaimo		De. 11.50	
De. 8.10	De. 4.30		Wellington	78	Ar. 12.14	Ar. 6.34
A.M.	P.M.				P.M.	P.M.

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

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11.45 pm	38	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	82	......Seattle......	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar. *...Tacoma.....Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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The Colonist.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1894.

NOTE.

Changes of advertisements must be handed in not later than 6 p.m. in order to insure insertion the following day.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug 22, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	55°	Mean 61°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	52		
8 a. m..	60°	Highest 73	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	71°		1 p.m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	66	Lowest 51°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	60°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Clear.
Sunshine—10 hrs. 54 min.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—Capt John Irving, R Collister, Miss Dawson, Rev J Reid, Rev R Whellington, P J Packard, P S Harper, D Folly, Miss Skinner, H Bell-Irving, W J Meaken, Mrs F H Martin, Mrs Johnston, Miss Beaven, Miss C M Collister, R C Gosnell, Mrs Connolly, Thos Connolly, Adgt Archibald, Mrs Archibald, S H Riggs, F Butler Mrs Butler, W J Dwyer, P Johnston, J Davidson, J O Johnston, F Smith, J H Brock, D Geddes, A E Kennedy, Miss M Temple, A Peaes, Miss J Devereaux.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—T J Kelly, E Dubeis, Mrs Adams, Mrs Ramsey, Mrs Baldwin, B Moore, Mrs Smith, Mrs J J Thompson, Mrs Stoddard, T Trowbridge, Mrs Beard, E Cherry, Ernest Von Hesse Wartegg and wife, Miss F B Dike, Miss C Strous, A Anderson, D H Ross, J A Anderson, M P Burton, W McCulloch, Geo Easten, Dr R Hall and wife.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer CHARMER, from Vancouver—A B Erskine, Weiler Bros, P McQuade, H A Lilley, T Storey, J A Windsor, Ames H Co, H Plutti, F Norris, W C McDonald, J Fullerton, W Bickford, R Maynard, T Haughton, J Piercy, J Maynard, E G Prior, Ledingham Bros, S Shore, Geo Powell, Col Ind Rev T E, Col Ind Rev R P R, T B Pearson, D Spencer, Canada Paint Co, Lenz & L, Langley & Co, Jas Goulc, E Wall & Co, W & J Wilson, Dr H P Moody, J Somers, R Goldman, G A Richardson S Reid, W G Cameron, Province Pub Co, M R Smith, S Leiser, S Marks, Colonist Ptg Co, H B Co, B C C Co, Fell & Co, B C Pottery Co, Thos Earle, Miss A Harris, Lom Exp Co.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Turner B & Co, Weiler Bros, Vic E R & L Co, R H R, J Sommers, D Deverill, C Campbell & A, R W Palmer, S Leiser & Co, G Powell & Co, W J Cusack, Wilson Bros, L Goodacre, Sayward Mill & H Co.

Per steamer BARBARA BOSCOWITZ from the North—G C Shaw & Co, J Rosenberger, Mrs Lawson, Mrs Capt Petit, Rev S Cleaver, C Marcuall, J Baker, A Wells, S Leiser, J & A Boscowitz, G Chambers, G Robinson, Albion Iron Works, T Shotbolt, R P Rithet, A H Scaife, S Piercy & Co, J A Brown.

BIRTHS.

HINTON—August 22nd, at No. 1 Niagara street, the wife of Rayner W. Hinton, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

AINSWORTH-GRUBE—On the 22nd inst., at the home of the bride's mother, No. 268 Yates street, Victoria, by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Elton Essestyn Ainsworth, of Seattle, to Helen Emma Grube, of this city.

PERSONAL.

T. Palke, Seattle, is registered at the Driard.

J. J. Baganant, Seattle, is a guest at the Oriental.

George Wrigley, of Toronto, is a guest at the Victoria.

Dr. MacGillis, of Vancouver, was in town yesterday.

A. E. Kennedy, Toronto, is registered at the Oriental.

The Misses Dike, New York, are guests at the Driard.

F. V. Moffet, of the Portland Roller Mills, is at the Oriental.

Captain D. B. Jackson paid Victoria a visit yesterday.

Capt. John Irving returned last evening from the Mainland.

Rev. Dr. Reid came over from the Mainland by last night's Charmer.

Miss Nora Briggs, of Liverpool, Eng., is spending a few days in Victoria with Mrs. Janion.

Adjutant and Mrs. Archibald, of the Salvation Army, came over from Vancouver yesterday evening.

Miss Beaven and Mrs. F. X. Martin were among the passengers to Victoria by the Charmer last evening.

A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs leaves to-day on an official visit to the Cowichan agency.

E D. Carmichael has returned from Chicago, where he has been attending the Pharmaceutical college.

S. M. Robins, manager of the New Vancouver Coal Co., came down from Nanaimo yesterday and is at the Driard.

Ald. Dwyer, R. E Gosnell, provincial librarian, and H. Bell-Irving, were passengers to Victoria by the Charmer yesterday evening.

James Grant, of Chesley, Ont., a well-to-do woollen manufacturer and brother to ex-Mayor John Grant of this city, is a guest at the Oriental.

H. C. Lucas, until very recently proprietor of the Liverpool bakery on Pandora street, left for England this morning where he proposes resuming business again. Mrs. Lucas preceded her husband several days ago.

The following are guests at the Hotel Victoria: A. J. Dunn, Seattle; Conie E Strong, Wakefield, Mass; Mrs. S. L Speller, Mrs. H. C. Piper, Newburyport; H. W. Ward, Montreal; B. Moose, San Francisco; J. H. A. Lynch, Miss Lydia Caldwell, John Campion, Seattle; G. W. Kennedy, Mrs. J. E. McDonald, Miss A. B. McDonald, Miss A. Gowen, Miss Silvester and Miss Hamburger, Wellington.

My feet were so badly swollen that I could not wear my shoes. I got Yellow Oil, and to my astonishment it gave me instant relief and two bottles completely cured me. Mrs. W. G. McKay, Berwick, Ont.

Attention.

Account Grand Encampment G.A.R., Pittsburg, Pa., September 8th, the Northern Pacific Railroad will sell round trip tickets at $65 Tickets on sale September 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Return limit east of St. Paul, 60 days from date of sale. East of St. Paul, September 26. Full information at City Ticket Office. E. E Blackwood, General Agent, Victoria, B.C. *

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Arrangements and Entries for the Cycling Road Race on Saturday—Firemen's Lacrosse Team—Cricket.

Arrangements for Saturday's fifty mile road race were completed yesterday evening at a meeting of the racing committee of the club, presided over by Captain M. C. Reynard. It was decided to have the limit man start at 1:15 and the other competitors follow in the order of their handicaps. Anyone late in arriving at the starting point will of course forfeit the time lost. The start will be from and the finish at the Victoria & Sidney depot on Hillside avenue, the route out being via the Gorge and Craigflower, and out by the beach or Albert Head road to Metchosin school; thence via the Rocky Point road to Mr. Thomas Argyle's at the Point, the return journey being by the Happy Valley road. There is a time limit of five hours on the race, which it is anticipated will be ridden in from three and a half to four hours. The competitors are as named below, in the order in which they will start:

Rider	Handicap to Man.	Handicap to Wheel.	Total Start.
H. Wills.....	30 min.	19 min.	49 min.
T. Kipling.....	12 "	34 "	46 "
M. C. Reynard..	12 "	30-36 "	42-36 "
Charles Bush....	15 "	23 24 "	38-24 "
F. J. Hall.....	12 "	18 "	30 "
E. A. Wolff.....	12 "	9 "	21 "
Thos. A. Johnson	12 "	9 "	21 "
F. E. Alley	Scratch.	Scratch.	Scratch.
H. O. Tiedeman.	"	"	"
C. H. Gibbons..	"	"	"

THE RIFLE.

HAMILTON TAKES THE BANNER.

TORONTO, Aug. 22—The Ontario Rifle Association matches began auspiciously yesterday. The thirteenth battalion, Hamilton, with a team numbering thirty, received the banner for the largest representation, the Queen's Own coming next with twenty-eight.

LACROSSE.

A BETWEEN GAMES ATTRACTION.

The athletic tournament between Harrison and Hayward will be brought off in connection with the intermediate lacrosse match at the Caledonia grounds next Saturday. The various events will be contested between the intervals of the game.

THE FIREMEN EAGER.

The lacrosse team of the Victoria fire department wish to cross sticks with the Hackmen, Bricklayers or any other team, barring only the Victoria seniors or intermediates. All communications to be addressed to T. Watson, manager firemen's team.

CRICKET.

TO-DAY'S GREAT CONTEST.

An eleven composed of W. A. Ward, S. F. Morley, B. H. T. Drake, A. G. Smith, D. Doig, C. N. Gowen, B. J. Perry, C. W. Ward, C. Little, P. Æ Irving, and Lt. Barnes, will play the following gentlemen at the Caledonia grounds to-day, viz: Messrs. A. W. Jones, W. Wilson, Hon. F. G. Vernon, C. A. Vernon, A. W. Vowell, Lt.-Col. E. G. Prior, H. A. Burton, Dr. Hasell, Hon. J. H. Turner, G. Gillespie, A. J. C. Galletly, Hon. C. E. Pooley, Col. R. Wolfenden, W. F. Bullen, H. Combe, Robert Ward, Hon. Theodore Davie, F. S. Barnard, D. R. Harris, Major Dupont, A. H. Scaife, T. Tompkinson, F. H. Worlock, Dr. Milne, H. D. Helmcken, J. D. Helmcken, H. Croft, E. A. Wilmot and H. Bostock. The game will begin at 2 p.m. sharp. Tea and cake will be provided for the ladies.

B. C. IMMIGRATION.

Efforts Will Be Made to Bring Out Irish Settlers.

Mr. Thomas Connelly, for many years connected with Dominion immigration affairs, is again in Victoria. He returned to Canada last spring and remained in Ottawa during the session.

"At this time," says he, "I made arrangements with the government and the C. P. R. to take a trip to this section and gather information for a campaign in Ireland. It is fourteen years since I last visited this portion of the world, and in that time wonderful progress has been made. The C. P. R. is certainly one of the finest pieces of work in the world If it was possible to convey any idea of the manifold attractions of the transcontinental trip, I am certain that you would have many thousands of tourists out in this direction every year.

"I have been instrumental already in sending quite a few people to your province. A number of settlers along Englishman's river and French creek are among these.

"Just at the present time the strikes in the United States and the general depression has had a bad effect on emigration, but the tide is turning. You may look for an influx of very desirable people during the next year or so. From the nature of the country I do not as a rule advise men of no means to come to this section. In my opinion a settler should have enough to keep him for a year or two at least. It is this class that I will try to send to your province on my return home.

"One of my strongest arguments in favor of this section is the climate. To men who are making a start in life the escape from five or six months of frost and snow is very grateful.

"Part of my business is to distribute printed matter containing late and accurate information on the country. Then I carefully watch the papers and clip out anything of interest. Just now capital is seeking investment which it fails to find in the old country. Many of these come to me for information. I point out to them the resources of this country, its iron, coal, fisheries, timber and mining, and often help them select a favorable point for operations.

"The resources of British Columbia are many and great. All that is needed is a population to develop them. There is a fair area of land suitable for agricultural purposes, though much of it is not so easy to bring under cultivation, owing to the timber, as is the land further east.

"The rush of emigration to the United States will no doubt be regulated soon, and Canada will profit by the fact.

"I will remain here a short time and then return to Ottawa, arrange a report for the government and the C.P.R., then I will go home to Dublin and begin the work of sending people out in earnest. I will probably stop off at Calgary and Edmonton to look into the dead meat trade in that section."

EAST YALE ELECTION.

A Petition Filed Against the Return of Mr. Donald Graham.

A petition has been filed with the registrar of the Supreme Court by Messrs. Bodwell and Irving, acting on behalf of Edward J. Tronson of Vernon, against the election of Donald Graham as member of the Provincial parliament for East Yale. The body of the application sets forth:

The petition of Edward John Tronson of the town of Vernon, in the East Riding of Yale electoral district, in the Province of B. C, showeth:

1 Your petitioner is a person who voted at the above election.

2. Your petitioner says that the election was holden on the 18th day of July, 1894, when Hon. Forbes George Vernon and Donald Graham were candidates, and the returning officer has returned the said Donald Graham as being duly elected.

3. Your petitioner further says that certain persons voted at the said election who were not qualified by law to vote at the said election, and on a scrutiny there should be struck off from the number of votes appearing to have been given to the said Donald Graham one vote for every person disqualified as aforesaid;

4. Your petitioner further says that the returning officer erroneously received certain ballot papers as votes for the said Donald Graham which were not marked according to law, and that such votes ought to be struck off the roll;

5. Your petitioner further says that on a scrutiny of the vote given and tendered at the said election it will be found that the said Forbes George Vernon was duly elected by a majority of votes, and that the said return is erroneous and ought to be amended as prayed;

Wherefore your petitioner prays that a scrutiny may be allowed of the votes given and tendered at the said election and that it may be determined that the said Forbes George Vernon was duly elected and that the return ought to be amended by the insertion of the name of the said Forbes George Vernon in place of the name of the said Donald Graham, and that the petitioner may have such other relief as circumstances may require.

UNDER a fragrant bell of roses in the charmingly decorated drawing room of her mother's home at 268 Yates street, Miss Helen Grube, only daughter of Mrs. Julia C. Schroeder, and a young lady fortunate in the possession of a small army of warm friends in this city, was last evening united in marriage to Mr. Elton E. Ainsworth, of Seattle, a member of the firm of Ainsworth & Dunn, and one of the best known business men of the Sound city. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, pastor of the St Andrew's Presbyterian church, performed the interesting ceremony, Mr. Dunn, the groom's partner, assisting him with his presence as best man, and Miss Bertha Jameson acting as bridesmaid, while Misses Hutcheson, Ruta Jameson and Amy Carmichael were the maids of honor. The bride's costume was of cream corded silk, and most becoming; she carried a shower bouquet of roses and maiden hair fern. The bridesmaids' dresses were harmonious creations of mauve and cream silk and lace. All the house was bright with flowers and musical with the voices and laughter of friends, of whom there were about fifty or more among the invited guests, including Mr. J. F. Chapman of Seattle, Mr. Rohabasher and daughter of Portland, and Mr. Wingo, also of the Oregon city. Mr. and Mrs. Ainsworth were passengers by the Charmer this morning, their wedding journey taking them through Eastern Canada and the chief cities of the Atlantic coast; returning, they will make their home in Seattle.

A NUMBER of Japanese cannery employes who arrived down from the north by the Boscowitz yesterday, signify their intention of taking passage for home by the Empress sailing Tuesday, their patriotism being stirred to such an extent that they have decided to offer themselves as recruits for the army. Yokohama, Kobe, Tokyo and all the other important harbors of Japan are now, according to private letters recently to hand wired and torpedoed, so that merchant vessels cannot enter any of them save in the daytime. A letter to Mr. Lion C. Barff from a brother in Shanghai, contains the following interesting paragraph, doubly interesting in that it throws a new side light on the Kow Shing affair, intimating that she was at the time of her destruction, under, not the British, but the Chinese flag. "Now that war is inevitable between China and Japan over the suzerainty of Korea, "Mr. Barff remarks in his letter," trade will be duller than ever in these parts. War has not been officially declared, but hostilities have already been witnessed in Korea, though we can get no reliable information yet as the wires are continually interrupted and every available steamer is chartered for carrying troops. All sorts of rumors are flying around, but nothing is proved except that the fine high-powered steamer Kow Shing, only just sold to the Chinese government by the Indo-Chinese S. N. Co., has been sunk by a broadside from a Japanese cruiser near Chemulpo, and all on board, except forty rescued by the French gunboat Lion, drowned. There were from 1,500 to 1,700 Chinese troops on board. I think the Japs will defeat the Chinese in the engagements, but the millions of China will enable her to wear her little enemy out."

UNFULFILLED PROMISES.

Kiowa and Comanche Indians Impatient on Account of Delayed Payments.

EL RENO, Aug. 22—According to information received here, the Kiowa and Comanche Indians are becoming troublesome because they have not received the $60,000 due them from the cattlemen for the leases of their country. In some parts the range fences have been destroyed and cattle slaughtered.

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RELIEF FOR PULLMAN.

Generous Response in Chicago to Governor Altgeld's Appeal.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22—The relief appeal issued by Governor Altgeld was learned of by the destitute people of Pullman to-day with general expressions of joy and gratitude. The relief committee sent some supplies in the morning, and the headquarters were opened again with the expectation of getting much money and provisions in response to the proclamation. When the doors of the supply station were opened, 400 men were assembled in double rows waiting to have their baskets filled. One thousand loaves of bread made from flour sent by the citizens of Alleghany, Mich., were distributed. Cash contributions were received, which went to make $100 in the treasury for the purchase of meats to be used for extreme cases. An evening paper is authority for the statement that the Pullman Company has recognized the brickmakers' union of Pullman and Roseland, and the strike in that branch of the big concern will soon be over.

Governor Altgeld and the mayor of the city this afternoon hit on a plan of relieving the starving Pullman strikers. The scheme is to secure the aid of the railroads by their furnishing free transportation to all those of the men who desire to seek work in other cities and towns of the country.

POLISH CATHOLICS.

Seceding Members of the Church Form a New Ecclesiatical Organization.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 21.—The National convention of seceding Polish Catholics met at Kolaszemskis church on Fremont street today and resolved upon the organization of a new church society under the adopted title of the American Catholic church. Archbishop Vilette, of Wisconsin, was appointed ecclesiatical head of the new church but he is to be without arbitrary powers. All nationalities will be admitted to the new organization and bishops subordinate to the Archbishop will be elected.

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